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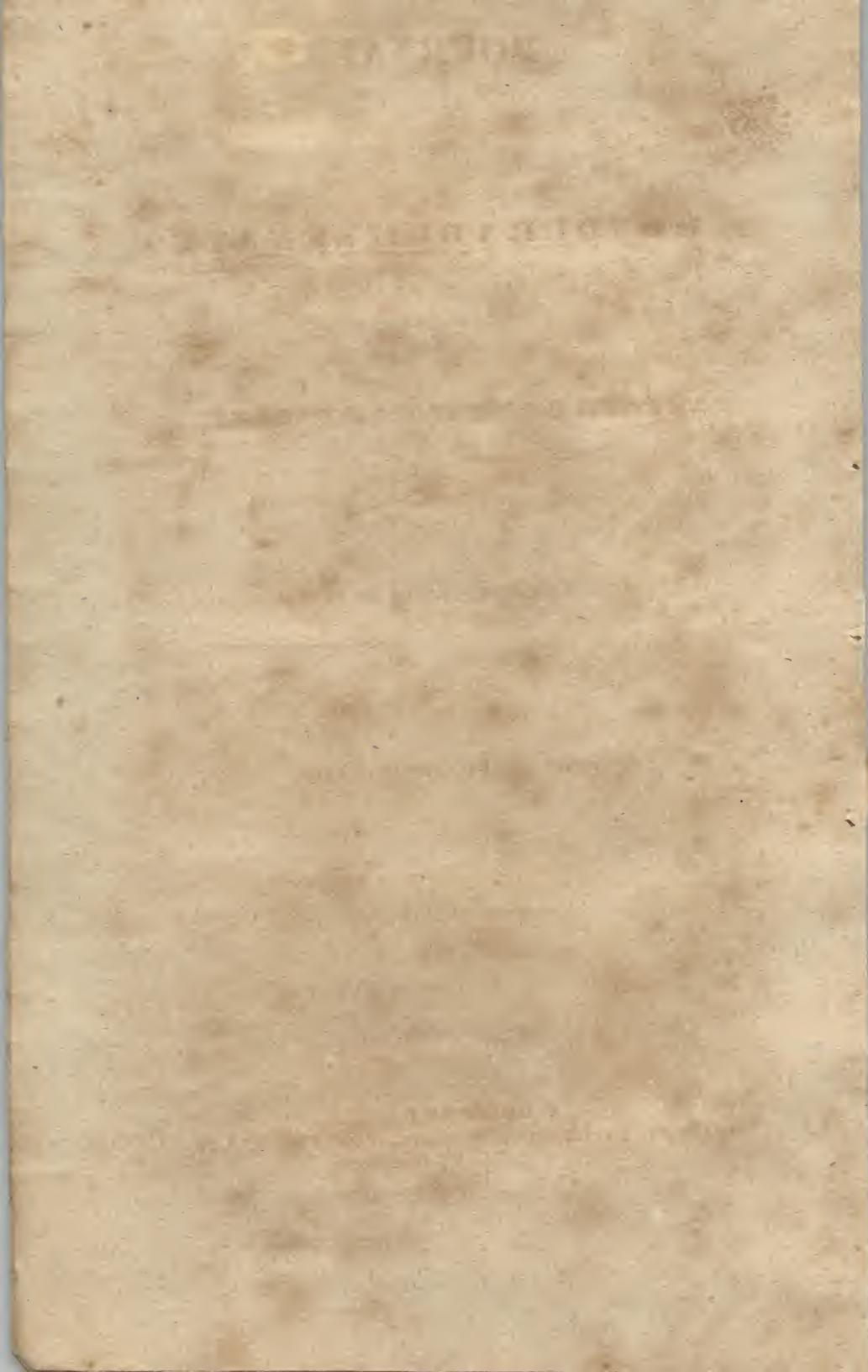
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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 1829.

This being the day prescribed by the Constitution, for the General Court of New-Hampshire to assemble, the following named gentlemen, elected as Senators, met at the Capitol in Concord, and having taken and subscribed the oath of office, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, took their seats in the Senate Chamber.

From District No. 1, Hon. Abner Greenleaf,
From District No. 2, Hon. Jacob Freese,
From District No. 3, Hon. David Steele,
From District No. 4, Hon. Joseph M. Harper,
From District No. 5, Hon. John Chadwick,
From District No. 6, Hon. Ezekiel Wentworth,
From District No. 7, Hon. William Bixby,
From District No. 8, Hon. Bodwell Emerson,
From District No. 9, Hon. Levi Chamberlain,
From District No. 10, Hon. Horace Hall,
From District No. 11, Hon. Elijah Miller,
From District No. 12, Hon. Samuel Cartland.

The Senate was called to order by the Clerk. Mr. Emerson was called to the chair.

On motion by Mr. Steele—

The Senate proceeded to the choice of a President, and the Hon. ABNER GREENLEAF was elected.

Mr. Greenleaf manifested his acceptance of the office, and took the chair.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The Senate proceeded to the choice of a Clerk, and SAMUEL DINSMOOR, jr. was elected.

On motion—

The Senate proceeded to the choice of an Assistant-Clerk, and JOHN WHIPPLE was elected.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Ordered, That the Clerk notify Samuel Dinsmoor, jr., and John Whipple, of their election to the offices of Clerk and Assistant-Clerk.

Samuel Dinsmoor, jr., and John Whipple, appeared, and were sworn to the faithful discharge of the duties of their offices.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

The Senate proceeded to the choice of a Door-keeper, and James Buzzell was elected.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

Resolved, That the Rules and Regulations of the Senate, for the last year, be adopted as the Rules and Regulations of the Senate for the present session, or until otherwise ordered.

On motion by Mr. Steele—

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives, that the Senate have assembled, have chosen their constitutional officers, and are ready to proceed to the business of the session.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to report Rules and Regulations for the government of the Senate the present session.

Ordered, That Messrs. Emerson, Harper, and Steele, be the committee.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

Resolved, That the times to which the Senate shall adjourn, shall be ten o'clock in the forenoon, and three o'clock in the afternoon, unless otherwise ordered.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant-Clerk—“Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate, that the House of Representatives have assembled, and have elected their constitutional number of officers, and are ready to proceed to the business of the session.” And he withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That a committee be appointed, to join such committee as may be appointed on the part of the House of Representatives, to wait on His Excellency the Governor, and inform him that both branches of the Legislature have assembled, and have chosen their constitutional officers, are duly organized, and are ready to receive any communication he may please to make.

Ordered, That Mr. Chamberlain be the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly, and request their concurrence in said resolution.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant-Clerk—“Mr. President: The House of Representatives are now ready to meet the Senate in Convention, to proceed in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution.” And he withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That a committee be appointed on the part of the Senate, to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives, to report the order of proceedings to be observed in the publick exercises of to-morrow.

Ordered, That Messrs. Cartland and Wentworth be the committee.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant-Clerk—"Mr. President: The House of Representatives concur with the Senate in a resolution appointing a committee to wait on His Excellency the Governor, and have joined on their part Messrs. Creighton of New-Market, Tucker, and Jenness of Strafford. The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Chase of Hopkinton, Folsom, M'Gaw, Pierce, Kelly, Elwin, Sawyer of Mont-Vernon, Colby of Ossipee, Tucker of Andover, and Neal of Unity; with such as the Senate may join, a committee to report the order of proceedings to be observed in the publick exercises of to-morrow, in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Steele—

Resolved, That the resolution which originated in the Senate, appointing a committee to report the order of proceedings to be observed in the public exercises of to-morrow, be re-considered.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the appointment of a committee, agreeably to the resolution last received from the House of Representatives.

Ordered, That Messrs. Cartland and Wentworth be the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 1829.

The Senate met according to adjournment.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee appointed to wait on His Excellency the Governor, and inform him that both branches of the Legislature were organized, and ready to receive any communication he might please to make, reported, that the committee had attended to the duty assigned to them.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That the Senate do now meet the House of Representatives in Convention, to proceed in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being met in Convention in the Representatives' Hall, the Secretary came in, and laid before the Convention the returns of votes for Governor from the several towns and places in this State; and some progress having been made in opening, reading, and recording the same—

On motion by Mr. Sawyer of the House of Representatives—
The Convention rose, and the Senate returned to their Chamber.

IN SENATE.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk—"Mr. President: The House of Representatives have passed a resolution to adopt the Joint-Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives for the last session, as the Joint-Rules of the two Houses for the present session, or until otherwise ordered; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution last received from the House of Representatives.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant-Clerk—"Mr. President: I am directed to inform the Senate, that the House of Representatives have adopted the report of the joint committee which was instructed to report the order of proceedings to be observed in the publick performances this day, in which they wish the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The report last received from the House of Representatives was read, as follows:

"That the procession shall form precisely at eleven o'clock, in front of the Capitol, in the following order:

1. Military Escort.
2. Committee of Arrangements.
3. His Excellency the Governor, his Aids, and the Honourable Council.
4. Secretary, Treasurer, Adjutant-General, and Warden of the State Prison.
5. Preacher of the day, and President of Dartmouth College.
6. Reverend Clergy of all denominations.
7. Officers of Dartmouth College and other Colleges.
8. Governors of other States and Territories.
9. Senators and Representatives of the United States.
10. Officers of the United States, Civil and Military.
11. Judges of the Superior Court and other Courts in this State, and Sheriffs of the Counties.
12. Judges of the United States Courts, and Judges of other Courts of Record in other States.
13. The President of the Senate, the Honorable Senate, and their Clerks.
14. The Speaker of the House of Representatives, the members four deep, and their Clerks.

That the following gentlemen officiate as Marshals of the day,

viz. Messrs. Tilton, Means, Bradley, Sweatt, Jenness, Ainsworth, Stevens of Claremont, Farrington, Burbank, and Colby of Warner.

And that the publick exercises be performed in the Congregational meeting-house."

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur with the House of Representatives in adopting said report.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, they adjourn to four o'clock this afternoon.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant-Clerk—"Mr. President: The House of Representatives are ready to meet the Senate in Convention, to proceed in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution." And he withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That the Senate will now meet the House of Representatives in Convention.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being met in Convention in the Representatives' Hall, the opening, declaring, and recording of the votes for Governor in the several towns and places in this State, was completed.

On motion by Mr Hammons of the House of Representatives—

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to examine the returns of votes for Governor, compare them with the record, cast the number, and report thereon to the Convention.

Ordered, That Messrs. Wentworth, of the Senate, Barnes of Barnstead, French of Dunstable, Colby of Weare, and Kelly of Warner, of the House of Representatives, be the committee.

The Secretary laid before the Convention the returns of the votes for Councillors in the several Councillor Districts in this State, which were opened, the votes declared, and recorded.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth of the Senate—

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to examine the returns of votes for Counsellors, compare them with the record, cast the numbers, and report thereon.

Ordered, That Messrs. Steele of the Senate, and Burton and Hammons of the House of Representatives, be the committee.

On motion by Mr. Bixby of the Senate—

The Convention rose, and the Senate returned to their Chamber.

IN SENATE.

The following Standing Committees were appointed, agreeably to the Rules and Regulations of the Senate, viz.

On the Judiciary.—Messrs. Chamberlain, Wentworth, & Cartland.

On Incorporations.—Messrs. Wentworth, Emerson, and Hall.

On Military Affairs.—Messrs. Steele, Freese, and Bixby.

On Claims.—Messrs. Chadwick, Bixby, and Freese.

On Manufactures.—Messrs. Harper, Steele, and Chadwick.

On Banking Institutions.—Messrs. Hall, Harper, and Emerson.

On Elections.—Messrs. Miller, Freese, and Cartland.

On Schools and Seminaries of Learning.—Messrs. Cartland, Chamberlain, and Chadwick.

On Unfinished Business.—Messrs. Emerson, Wentworth, & Miller.

On Printers' Accounts.—Messrs. Freese, Harper, and Emerson.

The President also announced the appointment of the following Joint Standing Committees, viz.

On Engrossed Bills.—Messrs. Cartland and Chadwick.

On the Library.—Mr. Hall.

On the State House and State House Yard.—Mr. Bixby.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

The Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, JUNE 5, 1829.

The Senate met according to adjournment.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant-Clerk—“Mr. President: The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing Messrs. Folsom, Butler, and Quimby of Sandwich, with such as the Senate may join, a committee to present the thanks of the Legislature to the Rev. Humphrey Moore, for the learned, religious, and patriotick discourse, delivered before the several branches of the Legislature yesterday, and to request of him a copy for the press: also, a resolution, appointing Messrs. French of Dunstable, Barnes, and Pierce of Hillsborough, with such as the Senate may join, a committee to audit the accounts of the Treasurer of this State: also, a resolution, appointing, on the part of the House, the Rev. Enos George, of Barnstead, Chaplain to the Legislature during the present session: in which resolutions they request the concurrence of the Senate. I am also directed to inform the Senate, that the House of Representatives are ready to meet the Senate in Convention, to proceed in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution.” And he withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Ordered, That the resolutions last received from the House of Representatives lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That the Senate will now meet the House of Representatives in Convention.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being met in Convention, in the Representatives' Hall, Mr. Wentworth, from the committee appointed to examine the returns of votes for Governor, compare them with the record, and cast the same, reported,

That the whole number of votes which the committee consider as legally returned, is - - - - - 42,246
 Necessary for a choice, - - - - - 21,124
 John Bell has - - - - - 19,583
 Other persons, deemed as scattering, - - - - - 48
 Benjamin Pierce has - - - - - 22,615
 and is duly elected.

In the above estimate, the committee have not included the votes from the town of Salem, which gave for

John Bell - - - - - 105
 for Benjamin Pierce - - - - - 76

and scattering 1; the return from said town of Salem not designating for whom said scattering vote was given; nor have the committee included the votes from the town of Milan, which gave for

John Bell - - - - - 9
 for Benjamin Pierce - - - - - 16

The return of the Town Clerk omitting to state that the meeting was held in said Milan, or in any other town or place.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Wilson of the House of Representatives:

Resolved, That the report of the committee, appointed by the Convention, to receive, examine, compare, sort, and cast the votes for Governor, be re-committed, with instructions to report the fact, whether said votes were laid before the Senate and House of Representatives on the first Wednesday in June, according to the provisions of the Constitution; and to report an opinion upon this question, Can the said votes be constitutionally received, examined, and counted?

The resolution was read; and, on the question, Shall this resolution pass? it was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Emerson of the Senate—

Resolved, That the report of the committee be accepted.

Mr. Carr of the House of Representatives, offered a resolution, appointing a committee to wait on Gen. Benjamin Pierce, and inform him of his election as Governor of the State of New-Hampshire for the year ensuing; which was read. On the question, Shall this resolution pass? it was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Harper of the Senate—

The Convention rose, and the Senate returned to their chamber.

IN SENATE.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That the three resolutions, last received from the House of Representatives, be taken up and considered.

The resolution, appointing a committee to present the thanks of the Legislature to the Rev. Humphrey Moore, for his learned, religious, and patriotic discourse delivered yesterday before the several branches of the Legislature, and to request of him a copy for the press, was read; and,

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the appointment of a committee, agreeably to said resolution.

Ordered, That Mr. Steele be the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution, appointing a joint committee to audit the accounts of the Treasurer of this State, was read.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the appointment of a committee, agreeably to said resolution.

Ordered, That Mr. Cartland be the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution, appointing the Rev. Enos George, Chaplain to the Legislature during the present session, was read.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in said resolution.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Steele—

Resolved, That a committee be appointed, with such as the House of Representatives may join, to procure three hundred copies of the Rules of the Senate and Rules of the House of Representatives, with the Joint Rules of both branches of the Legislature, together with the Constitution of this State, and the names and boarding houses of the several members of the Legislature, with their officers, for the use of the Senate and House of Representatives.

Ordered, That Mr. Hall be the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly, and request their concurrence in said resolution.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant-Clerk—“Mr. President: The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing Messrs. Walker, Barnes, French of Dunstable, Chase of Hopkinton, Colby of Ossipee, Carr, Ainsworth, George, Eastman, and Sweatt, with such as the Senate may join, a committee to wait on the Hon. Benjamin Pierce, and inform him of his election as Governor of this State the ensuing year; and that the Legislature will be ready, at such time as he may appoint, to receive such communication as he may please to make; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate.” And he withdrew.

The resolution last received from the House of Representatives was read.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the appointment of a committee, agreeably to said resolution.

Ordered, That Messrs. Emerson and Harper be joined to the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Resolved, That the members of the committee appointed to wait on the Hon. Benjamin Pierce and inform him of his election as Governor, have leave of absence so long as may be necessary to perform the duty assigned to them.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

The Senate adjourned.

SATURDAY, JUNE 6, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Emerson, from the committee appointed to wait on the Hon. Benjamin Pierce, and inform him of his election as Governor of this State for the ensuing year, reported—That the committee had performed the duty assigned to them, and that the Governor elect would meet both branches of the Legislature in the Representatives Hall, at half past ten o'clock this forenoon.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant-Clerk—“Mr. President: The House of Representatives have passed a resolution appointing a joint committee to attend the Governor elect into the Representatives' Hall, at half past ten o'clock this forenoon; they have also passed a resolution appointing Messrs. Claggett, Kelly of Durham, and Betton, with such as the Senate may join, a committee to report Joint Rules for the government of both branches of the Legislature; in which resolutions they request the concurrence of the Senate.” And he withdrew.

The resolution appointing a joint committee to attend His Excellency the Governor into the Representatives' Hall, at half past ten o'clock this forenoon, was read.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the appointment of a committee, agreeably to said resolution.

Ordered, That Messrs. Hall and Freese be the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution appointing a committee to report Joint Rules for the government of both Houses was read.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the appointment of a joint committee, agreeably to said resolution.

Ordered, That Mr. Chamberlain be the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Ordered, That the committee appointed to wait on His Excellency the Governor, and attend him to the Representatives' Hall, have leave of absence a sufficient time to perform the duties assigned to them.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant-Clerk—“Mr. President: The House of Representatives are ready to meet the Senate in Convention to proceed in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate will now meet the House of Representatives in Convention.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being met in Convention in the Representatives' Hall,

Mr. Hammons, of the House of Representatives, from the committee appointed to examine the returns of votes for Councillors, in the several Councillor Districts in this State, compare them with the records, and cast their numbers, *Reported*—

That in District No. 1, the whole number of votes legally returned, is 9408
 Necessary for a choice 4705
 Joseph Cilley has 4355
 Other persons, deemed scattering, have 50
 Francis N. Fisk has 5003
 and is duly elected.

In District No. 2, the whole number of votes, is 8345
 Necessary for a choice 4173
 Samuel Quarles has 4476
 Other persons, deemed as scattering, have 10
 Benning M. Bean has 4859
 and is duly elected.

In District No. 3, the whole number of votes, is 9682
 Necessary for a choice 4842
 Aquila Davis has 3956
 Other persons, deemed as scattering, have 16
 Matthew Harvey has 5710
 and is duly elected.

In District No. 4, the whole number of votes, is	7543
Necessary for a choice	3772
Aaron Matson has	3175
Other persons, deemed as scattering, have	3
Joseph Healey has	4365
and is duly elected.	

In District No. 5, the whole number of votes, is	7328
Necessary for a choice	3665
Ezra Bartlett has	3380
John Rogers has	1
Stephen P. Webster has	3947
and is duly elected.	

On motion by Mr. Claggett, of the House of Representatives—
Said report was accepted.

The time appointed by the Governor elect, for meeting the two Houses, having arrived, the Hon. Benjamin Pierce came in, attended by the committee, and the Honorable Council, and manifested his acceptance of the office; and, in presence of both branches of the Legislature, took and subscribed the oath of office, which was administered by the Hon. Abner Greenleaf, President of the Senate, who, thereupon, declared His Excellency Benjamin Pierce, Governor of the State of New-Hampshire for the ensuing political year, and presented to him a copy of the Constitution of this State as a guide in the discharge of his official duty. His Excellency the Governor and the Honourable Council then withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Harper of the Senate—

The Convention rose, and the Senate returned to their chamber.

IN SENATE.

The following written message was received from His Excellency the Governor, by Mr. Bartlett, the Secretary :

MESSAGE.

Gentlemen of the Senate, and

Gentlemen of the House of Representatives :

There is no station more responsible than that in which you are now placed as the Representatives of a free and intelligent people. Selected for your wisdom and integrity, you are convened to consult together for the general good; and coming as you do from the bosom of society, you necessarily bring with you a perfect knowledge of the wants and wishes of our common constituents. That knowledge will be a safe guide in our deliberations. In times of high political excitement, the true and permanent interests of a broad community may be neglected in perfecting schemes for the temporary aggrandizement of a party; but such conduct rarely escapes the keen scrutiny of a jealous people, who select their public servants for public purposes, not to promote the enterprises of heartless and dishonest politicians, or to minister at the shrine of private ambition.

The present period appears to be peculiarly favorable for calm and deliberate discussion; and we doubt not that the wisdom of your measures will be an ample return for the confidence that has been reposed in you. In the progress of your labors you have the assurance of my hearty co-operation. I enter, however, for the last time, upon the high trust of a public servant, not insensible of my own infirmities, or of the arduous duties that trust imposes on me. All I can promise is an entire devotion of my abilities, such as they are, to promote measures which I may deem for the best interest and honor of the State. Those interests, though they may not embrace so broad a compass as in some other States, are still not the less dear to us, or less deserving the fostering care of wise legislation. Confined by the nature of our government to measures of domestic policy and internal police, operating entirely within the limits of our own State, beyond these we do not deem it necessary to extend our inquiries, or to express our opinion relative to measures over which we have no control. But we would not neglect this opportunity to declare our full reliance in the wisdom and integrity of those functionaries to whom the people have confided the great interests of this nation, or the perfect assurance we feel that those interests will be so managed as to perpetuate the blessings which it was the object of our incomparable system of government to secure. We propose no magnificent schemes of improvement, which are often calculated to embarrass rather than facilitate the progress of judicious legislation; but we are certainly not to neglect the means within our reach to promote the happiness of our fellow citizens and maintain our influence as an independent sovereignty.

The state of finances can never escape the decided attention of Legislators, since it is directly and deeply interesting to their constituents. This will be exhibited by the report of the Treasurer, and will naturally suggest such measures as the public good may require.

Such is the situation of our State as to repel the idea of its ever becoming an extensive commercial mart; and little upon this subject could in any event be expected from State legislation, as it is confided to the general government by the Constitution of the United States. That, however, which we cannot effect directly, may in some measure be accomplished by indirect means, by facilitating as far as may be practicable the intercourse between our sea-board and the interior; since between every branch of productive industry there must ever subsist a reciprocal dependence. The price of bread-stuffs in different sections of the country having been equalized in consequence of the grand works of internal improvement in the West, our farmers, and indeed every class of the community are becoming daily more sensible of the necessity of increasing by every possible method our facilities of transportation. Our mountains, which have hitherto served chiefly to attract the notice of the curious traveller by their boldness and sublimity, are beginning to disclose their mineral riches. Already we furnish some of the

richest ores of their kind in the world. Our freestone has for several years formed an extensive subject of transportation, and some of the most splendid edifices of southern cities are indebted to the quarry which furnished the material for the building in which we are now assembled. These are doubtless only the beginning of discoveries which will hereafter furnish subjects of productive industry and increasing wealth. Nature seems, however, to have formed us principally for an agricultural and manufacturing State. Upon these we are to rely as the sources of our wealth—the pillars of our support, and the foundation of our strength—not neglecting other incidental advantages which she may also have placed in our hands. Hence if we would promote the real prosperity of the State, these must be carefully patronized and cherished, so that the wants of the community may be supplied from the industry of our own citizens; for it is manifestly true with regard to States as to individuals, large purchases and small sales must necessarily result in poverty and dependence. It is vain to expect that the agriculturalist of this State can accumulate much wealth and still support the style of modern days. Should the most provident and industrious among our farmers make an accurate calculation and ascertain the amount of foreign articles annually consumed in their respective families, they would be more surprised at the result than at the numerous instances of poverty which surround them. It is our duty therefore as good citizens at least to resist the progress of that extravagance which enervates and impoverishes our population; and by our steady example to invite a return to the republican simplicity of those who have gone before us.

The fate of ancient republics, as well as more modern experiments in government, admonishes us of the importance of a general diffusion of knowledge. If the populace are left to grope their way in intellectual darkness, we have no guarantee for the permanency of our free institutions. No matter to what extent letters are cultivated, or how distinguished we may be for discoveries in the different sciences, provided that culture and those discoveries are confined to *the few*. A strong illustration of this truth is to be drawn from the appalling history of the French Republic.

Our government depends essentially on public opinion for its support; and since it is well known that men are generally rash and inconsiderate in proportion to their ignorance, what confidence is to be placed upon the opinion of an uneducated population? The system of common free schools now established in this State is believed to be a good one, diffusing knowledge of a practical nature, which connects itself with the ordinary pursuits of life, and qualifies our youth to become useful citizens, still it is not to be presumed free from imperfections, nor is the light which emanates from these institutions, though absolutely indispensable, sufficient for all the purposes of civil society, which requires the more brilliant illumination that is reflected from higher sources. The establishment of a

college at some convenient place near the centre of this State for the instruction of the higher branches of literature and science, has been considered an object worthy the best efforts of an enlightened age. The State fund arising from a tax on the several banking corporations agreeably to the act of June 29, 1821, having received a different direction from what was anticipated by the friends of this project, their hopes must look forward to some distant period.—Whether the fund which may hereafter accrue shall return to its former channel, there to accumulate for the purpose of answering at some future day the end of its original design, or be distributed as provided by the act of December 21, 1828, may be worthy your consideration.

To secure an impartial administration of justice is of the utmost importance and a primary object of legislation. The judiciary, however, is a subject which should always be approached with the utmost caution, for it is undoubtedly better to endure some slight inconveniences than to hazard the effect of frequent changes or bold innovations. Perhaps there can be furnished no more conclusive evidence that the laws are promptly and equitably administered, than the general satisfaction which prevails among our constituents. Delays in judicial proceedings are frequently unavoidable from the very nature of the subjects presented. This is particularly true with regard to questions relating to roads. Not only are individuals deeply concerned, but different parts of the community may and generally do have strong and adverse interests in the question to be settled; and they would have just cause to murmur if time were not granted for a full and impartial hearing. It must at least be admitted that there is no subject of judicial cognizance more important, since there is no higher prerogative of government than that which can divest an individual of his possession, and create an easement for the public out of his absolute fee; and surely there is none of more deep and permanent interest to the public.

After a lapse of several years of profound peace and almost uninterrupted prosperity, during which period our citizens have enjoyed to their full extent the advantages of Republican Government, it would not be surprising if they became less mindful of the manner in which those privileges were achieved, and the means by which they are to be perpetuated. From the growing importance of this country and the jealousy of other nations, we cannot reasonably expect an entire exemption from those calamities which have so often visited the fairest portions of creation. True policy therefore requires that in times of peace we prepare for war; that we carefully attend to the equipment, instruction and discipline of the militia, which when properly regulated must supersede in a great measure the necessity of standing armies, and ever constitute our sure and appropriate defence. We have long looked to Congress for a general system; but all the efforts which have yet been made have effected little more than to obtain the opinions of intelligent military

officers and collect other useful information upon the subject. The system, such as it is, is to be upheld; and if any esteem the duties imposed on them a severe tax, let them remember it is the price they pay for privileges which no other people on earth are permitted to enjoy.

The productions of the earth during the last year were abundant, and health has generally prevailed in our borders. Grateful for these blessings, let us look with thankfulness and humble confidence to Him who gave them, to inspire us with an anxious zeal for the publick good, and to direct our attention to such measures as may promote the substantial prosperity of the State.

BENJAMIN PIERCE.

Council Chamber, Concord, June 6, 1829.

The Message was read.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Ordered, That it lie on the table, and that the Clerk be directed to procure two hundred printed copies of the same for the use of the Senate.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it be to three o'clock on Monday next.

Mr. Emerson, from the committee appointed to report Rules for the government of the Senate, reported the following:

RULES.

1. The President having taken the chair, and a quorum being present, the Journals of the preceding day shall be read, and any erroneous entry shall be corrected.

2. No member shall hold conversation with another during the reading of the Journals, or while a member is speaking in debate.

3. Every member rising to speak, shall address the President; and when he has finished, shall sit down.

4. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question, on the same day, without leave of the Senate.

5. More than one member rising to speak at the same time, the President shall decide who shall speak first.

6. If any member transgress the Rules of the Senate, the President shall, or any member may, call him to order; in which case, the member, so called to order, shall sit down; and the Senate, if appealed to, shall decide in the case; but if there be no appeal, the decision of the President shall be conclusive.

7. No member shall absent himself, without permission from the Senate.

8. A motion shall be seconded before it is debated; and, if required by the President, or any member, it shall be reduced to writing.

9. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be made but to adjourn, to postpone indefinitely, to lie on the table, to postpone to a day certain, to commit, or to amend; which several motions

shall have precedence in the same order in which they are arranged; and no motion to postpone indefinitely, to postpone to a day certain, or to commit, being decided, shall be in order at the same stage of the bill or proposition, until after an adjournment.

10. If the question under debate will admit of division, any member may have it divided; and in filling blanks, the longest time and largest sum shall be put first.

11. When the reading of a paper is called for, and the same is objected to, it shall be decided by a vote of the Senate, and without debate.

12. When the *ayes* and *noes* are required, each member shall declare his *assent* or *dissent* to the question, unless, for special reasons, he be excused by the Senate.

13. When a motion is made to shut the doors of the Senate, on the discussion of any business, which, in the opinion of any member, may require secrecy, the President shall direct the gallery to be cleared, and the doors shall remain closed until the subject is disposed of.

14. After a motion has been decided, it shall be in order for any member, who voted with the majority, or if the Senate be equally divided, any member voting on the side prevailing, to move for a re-consideration thereof, unless the bill, resolution, report, amendment, or motion, on which the vote was taken, has gone from the possession of the Senate; but no motion to re-consider shall be in order, unless made the same day on which the vote was taken, or on the next day thereafter on which the Senate shall be in session; but no vote shall be re-considered when a less number of members is present than when it was passed.

15. Before any petition or memorial, addressed to the Senate, shall be received and read, a brief statement of the contents thereof shall be made by the member introducing the same.

16. At least one day's notice shall be given, before a motion for leave to bring in a bill shall be in order.

17. Every bill shall be read three times before its passage; and the President shall give notice, at each time, whether it be the first, second, or third reading; and no bill, after it has been read a second time, shall have a third reading before adjournment.

18. All resolutions which may require the signature of the Governor, shall be treated in the same manner as bills.

19. When a bill or resolution shall have been read a second time, the President shall refer it to the appropriate standing committee, unless the Senate shall otherwise order.

20. The Senate may resolve itself into a committee of the whole, at any time, on motion made for the purpose; and in forming a committee of the whole, the President shall leave the chair, and appoint a chairman to preside in committee. The President may, at any time, name any member to perform the duties of the chair; but such substitution shall not extend beyond an adjournment.

21. The last question, upon the second reading of a bill or res-

olution, shall always be, "Shall it be read a third time?" and no amendment shall be received for discussion on the third reading of any bill or resolution, unless by unanimous consent of the members present; but it shall, at all times, be in order, before the final passage of a bill or resolution, to move its commitment; and should such commitment take place, and an amendment be reported, the bill or resolution shall again be read a second time, and considered as in committee of the whole.

22. The titles of bills, and such parts thereof as may be affected by proposed amendments, shall be entered on the Journals.

23. All bills, resolutions, and addresses, after passing the Senate, shall be signed by the President; and all warrants and other processes, issued by order of the Senate, shall be under his hand and seal, attested by the Clerk.

24. The following standing committees, to consist of three members each, shall be appointed at the commencement of every session, with leave to report by bill or otherwise:

A committee on the Judiciary; a committee on Incorporations; a committee on Military Affairs; a committee on Claims; a committee on Manufacturing Establishments; a committee on Banking Institutions; a committee on Elections; a committee on Schools and Seminaries of Learning; a committee on Unfinished Business; a committee on Printers' Accounts.

25. All committees shall be appointed by the President, unless a member request that the appointment shall be by ballot, in which case it shall be so done.

26. When the Senate shall concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of a joint committee, consisting of not more than five members of the House, one member shall be added on the part of the Senate; but when more than five, two members of the Senate shall be added.

27. Messages shall be sent to the House of Representatives, by the Clerk of the Senate.

28. Messages from the Governor, or House of Representatives, may be received at all times, except when the Senate is engaged in putting a question, in calling the *ayes* and *noes*, or in counting ballots.

29. All questions shall be put by the President, and each member of the Senate shall signify his assent or dissent by answering *aye* or *no*.

30. No person, except members of the Executive, or members of the House of Representatives and their officers, shall be admitted within the bar of the Senate, except by invitation of the President, or some member with his consent.

31. The Senate shall adjourn, to meet at nine o'clock in the morning, and three o'clock in the afternoon, of each day, unless the Senate shall otherwise order.

32. A motion to adjourn shall be decided without debate.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That said Rules be adopted.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing a joint-committee to wait upon His Excellency the Governor, and inform him of the election of the Hon. Joseph Cilley, as Councillor for District No. 1; Hon. Benning M. Bean, for District No. 2; Hon. Matthew Harvey, for District No. 3; Hon. Joseph Healy, for District No. 4; Hon. Stephen P. Webster, for District No. 5; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The resolution last received from the House of Representatives was read.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

To amend said resolution, by striking out the name of "Joseph Cilley," and inserting the name of "Francis N. Fisk"—

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

To further amend said resolution, by adding thereto the words, "and that His Excellency be pleased to give notice to the above named gentlemen of their election"—

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That said resolutions pass with the amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly, and request their concurrence in said amendments.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the joint committee, appointed to report Joint Rules, for the government of the two branches of the Legislature, the present session, reported the following:

JOINT RULES.

1. When a Convention of the two Houses is to be formed, whether by requirement of the Constitution, or by a vote or resolve of the two Houses, a message shall be sent from the House of Representatives to the Senate, giving notice when the House will meet the Senate in Convention. As soon thereafter as the convenience of the Senate will permit, they will attend in the House. The Speaker of the House shall be Chairman of the Convention, and shall state the reason for forming the Convention. When the Senate and House are thus formed in Convention, the Rules adopted as the Rules of the House, shall be considered the Rules of the Convention, so far as they may be deemed applicable; and the Convention shall accordingly be governed thereby.

2. Messages shall be sent by such person or persons, as a sense of propriety, in each House, may determine to be proper.

3. When a message shall be sent from either House to the other, it shall be announced at the door of the House to which it may be sent, by the door-keeper.

4. While bills are on their passage between the two Houses, they shall be under the signature of the Clerk of each House respectively.

5. There shall be a committee for the purpose of engrossing bills, consisting of two members of each House. All bills that pass both Houses, shall be delivered to said committee, be by them engrossed, carefully examined, and reported to the respective Houses; and shall be signed, first by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, then by the President of the Senate.

6. There shall be a committee, to consist of three members of the House, and one of the Senate, on each of the following subjects, to wit:—On all matters relative to the State Library; and on all matters relative to the State House, and State House Yard.

7. When a bill or resolve, which shall have passed in one House, is rejected in the other, notice thereof shall be given to the House in which the same may have passed.

8. Each House shall transmit to the other, all papers on which any bill or resolve shall be founded.

9. After each House shall have adhered to their disagreement, a bill or resolve shall be considered lost.

On motion—

Resolved, That said report be adopted.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: “Mr. President—The House of Representatives concur with the Senate in the passage of a resolution, appointing a joint committee to procure three hundred copies of the Rules of the Senate, and Rules of the House of Representatives, with the Joint Rules of both branches of the Legislature, together with the Constitution of this State, and the names and boarding houses of the several members of the Legislature, for the use of the Senate and House of Representatives, with an amendment, in which they request the concurrence of the Senate. The House of Representatives agree to the amendments proposed by the Senate, to the resolution appointing a committee to wait on the Governor, and inform him of the election of Councillors for the ensuing year.” And he withdrew.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution, appointing a committee to procure three hundred copies of the Rules of the Senate, and Rules of the House of Representatives, with the Joint Rules of both branches of the Legislature, together with the Constitution of this State, and the names and boarding houses of the several members of the Legislature, for the use of the Senate and House of Representatives, with the amendments proposed thereto by the House of Representatives.

On the question to concur in said amendment, viz: insert after the words, “Constitution of this State,” the words, “and Constitution of the United States”—

It was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

The Senate adjourned.

MONDAY, JUNE 8, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: “Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing Messrs. Field, Stevens of Mason, and Kelly of Durham, with such as the Senate may join, a committee to assign to the several standing committees their respective committee-rooms, in which they request the concurrence of the Senate.” And he withdrew.

The resolution last received from the House of Representatives was read.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the appointment of a joint committee, agreeably to said resolution.

Ordered, That Mr. Freese be the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That a select committee of three be appointed, to report a reference of the several subjects contained in the Governor’s message.

Ordered, That Messrs. Harper, Miller, and Chamberlain, be the committee.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be instructed to inquire into the expediency of providing by law, that the salaries of Justices of the Court of Common Pleas be reduced in proportion to the terms of said Court, from which they, or any one of them, may be absent.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: “Mr. President—The House of Representatives will meet the Senate in Convention to-morrow, at three o’clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution.” And he withdrew.

Mr. Harper, from the committee appointed to report a reference of the several subjects contained in the Governor’s message, reported—

That so much of said message as relates to agriculture, commerce, and manufactures, be referred to the committee on Manufacturing Establishments.

That so much of said message as relates to schools, be referred to the committee on Schools and Seminaries of Learning.

That so much of said message as relates to the militia, be referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

That so much of said message as relates to finance, be referred to a select committee.

That so much of said message as relates to the establishment of a college, be referred to a select committee.

That so much of said message as relates to the Judiciary, be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in said report.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That the select committees to be appointed agreeably to said report, consist of three, each.

Ordered, That Messrs. Harper, Freese, and Hall, be the committee on so much of the Governor's message as relates to finance.

Ordered, That Messrs. Cartland, Steele, and Chadwick, be the committee on so much of the Governor's message as relates to the establishment of a college.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Messrs. Butler, Farmer, and Sawyer of Hooksett: "Mr. President—We are instructed to inform the Senate, that the Rev. Enos George, Chaplain to the Legislature, will attend prayers in the Representatives' Hall, at a quarter before 9 o'clock, in the morning of each day during the session." And they withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Steele—

The Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives, that the Senate will meet the House in Convention at three o'clock this afternoon, agreeably to the notice communicated yesterday by the House of Representatives.

Mr. Freese, from the joint committee appointed to assign to the several-standing committees their respective committee-rooms, reported—

That committee-rooms No. 6, No. 7, and No. 8, be occupied by the committees of the Senate.

And the following, by committees of the House of Representatives, to wit:

No. 1, by the committee on Elections, and the committee on Banks.

No. 2, by the committee on Incorporations, and the committee on the Alteration of Names.

No. 3, by the committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, and the committee on Finance.

No. 4, by the committee on the Judiciary.

No. 5, by the committee on Unfinished Business, and the committee on Printers' Accounts.

No. 9, by the committee on Claims, and the committee on Bills on the second reading.

No. 10, by the committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals, and the committee on Publick Lands.

No. 11, by the committee on Military Affairs, and the committee on Military Accounts.

No. 12, by the committee on Education, and by the committee on the Library.

No. 13, by the committee on Towns and Parishes, and by the select committees.

That No. 6 be also occupied by the joint committee on Engrossed Bills; and

No. 8, by the joint committee on the State House and the State House Yard.

The report was read.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur therein.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Resolved, That the Senate will now meet the House of Representatives in Convention.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being met in Convention in the Representatives' Hall—

On motion by Mr. Wentworth, of the Senate—

The Convention proceeded, by ballot, to the choice of a Secretary, and Dudley S. Palmer was elected.

On motion by Mr. Lovell, of the House of Representatives—

The Convention proceeded, by ballot, to the choice of a Treasurer, and William Pickering was elected.

On motion by Mr. Quimby, of the House of Representatives—

The Convention proceeded, by ballot, to the choice of a Commissary General, and Joseph Hill was elected.

On motion by Mr. Steele, of the Senate—

The Convention rose, and the Senate returned to their chamber.

IN SENATE.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That hereafter, when the Senate shall adjourn in the afternoon, it shall be to ten o'clock the next morning, until otherwise ordered.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing Messrs. Shannon, Hodg-

don, and Tebbetts, and such as the Senate may join, a committee to wait on the Secretary, Treasurer, and Commissary General elect, and inform them of their election to their respective offices; and if they accept, to receive from the Secretary and Treasurer the customary bonds: in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the appointment of a joint committee, agreeably to the resolution last mentioned.

Ordered, That Mr. Chadwick be the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing Messrs. Farley of Hollis, Sawyer of Atkinson, and Bronson, with such as the Senate may join, a committee to audit and adjust the Treasurer's accounts in relation to the conversion of the stocks and other securities, composing the Literary Fund, into money, and the distribution thereof, in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the appointment of a committee, agreeably to the resolution last mentioned.

Ordered, That Mr. Cartland be the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Emerson, from the committee on unfinished business, reported, that the subject hereinafter named was partially acted upon at the last session of the Legislature, and the further consideration of the same was postponed to the present session, namely: —A resolution, authorizing the Treasurer of this State to convey certain lands situated in Wolfeborough, in the county of Strafford, to William Triggs, jr.

On motion—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Hall—

The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be instructed to inquire into the expediency of repealing the law establishing the present Court of Common Pleas, and the act of the third of January, 1829, establishing a Board of Read Commissioners in the sev-

eral counties in this State, and of passing a law for the organization of a Court of Common Pleas in the several counties.

On motion by Mr. Bixby—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, making an allowance to Robert Lefavour, in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The resolution last received from the House of Representatives, was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That Robert Lefavour, late Commissary General of this State, be allowed the sum of three hundred and twenty-eight dollars, in full of his account, and that the said sum be paid out of the treasury.

Ordered, That said resolution be referred to the committee on Claims.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

The Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

The resolution authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain lands to William Triggs, jr. was taken up and considered.

Said resolution was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

Be it resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That the Treasurer of this State be, and is hereby authorized, to convey to William Triggs, jr. of Wolfeborough, in the county of Strafford, all the right and title which the State of New-Hampshire hath unto a tract of land situated in said Wolfeborough, containing forty-seven acres, and is part of lot numbered five; which tract of land was conveyed to the State of New-Hampshire by Joseph Lary, of Peabody's Grant, so called, by his deed dated the 22d day of May, 1793, provided the said William Triggs, jr. shall, prior to his receiving said deed, pay into the treasury of this State one hundred and thirty dollars, in consideration of said deed.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That said resolution be referred to a select committee of three.

Ordered, That Messrs. Wentworth, Miller, and Steele, be the committee.

Mr. Wentworth presented the petition of James Key, for a grant of land in Wolfeborough, in the county of Strafford.

The petition was read.

On motion of Mr. Wentworth—

Ordered, That it be referred to a select committee of three.

Ordered, That Messrs. Wentworth, Miller, and Steele, be the committee.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to which was referred the resolution making an allowance to Robert Lefavour, the late Commissary-General, reported the same, with the following amendment: strike out the words "three hundred and twenty-eight dollars," and insert the words "two hundred eighty-six dollars and twenty-seven cents."

On the question, "Will the Senate adopt said amendment?" It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, "Shall this resolution, as amended, be read a third time?" It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

The resolution, making an allowance to Robert Lefavour, late Commissary General, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly, and request their concurrence in said amendment.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, that the joint committee appointed at the commencement of the session, to settle the accounts between this State and the Treasurer thereof, be instructed to settle the additional accounts between the said Treasurer and the State, from the first of June to the present time.

"Also, a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Peter Chadwick, and W. H. Y. Hackett."

"Also, a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Ephraim H. Mahurin, and Thomas Bellows;" in which resolution and bills they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The resolution last received from the House of Representatives was read.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur therein.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Peter Chadwick, and W. H. Y. Hackett," was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Claims.

The bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Ephraim H. Mahurin, and Thomas Bellows," was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Claims.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representa-

tives have passed a resolution, instructing the joint committee on the Library to appoint some suitable person to act as Librarian during the present year, in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The resolution last received from the House of Representatives was read.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur therein.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives disagree to the amendment proposed by the Senate, to the resolution in favour of Robert Lefavour." And he withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

Ordered, That said resolution lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

The Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, JUNE 12, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, to accept the report of the joint committee appointed to audit the accounts of the Treasurer of this State, in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The resolution last named was read.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in said resolution.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The resolution in favour of Robert Lefavour was taken up and considered.

On motion by Mr. Carland—

Resolved, That a conference be asked of the House of Representatives, on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment proposed by the Senate to said resolution.

Ordered, That Messrs. Chadwick, Freese, and Bixby, be the managers at said conference, on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, requesting His Excellency the Governor, to appoint some suitable person to deliver the Election Sermon in June next, in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The last named resolution was read.

On motion by Mr. Harper—
Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to which was referred the bill, entitled “An act in favour of Peter Chadwick, and W. H. Y. Hackett,” reported the same, with the following amendment:

Strike out the word “seven” after the word “twenty,” in the second clause, and insert the word “six.”

On the question, “Will the Senate adopt the said amendment?” It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, “Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?” It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to which was referred the bill, entitled, “An act in favour of Ephraim H. Mahurin, and Thomas Bellows,” reported the same, with the following amendment:

Strike out the words “thirty-four dollars eighteen cents,” in the first clause, and insert “twenty-one dollars and thirty-six cents.”

On the question, “Will the Senate adopt the said amendment?” It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, “Shall this bill, as amended, be read a third time?” It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Freese—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

The bill, entitled, “An act in favour of Peter Chadwick, and W. H. Y. Hackett,” was read the third time.

Resolved, That said bill pass, with an amendment, and that the title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, “An act in favour of Ephraim H. Mahurin, and Thomas Bellows,” was read the third time.

Resolved, That said bill pass, with an amendment, and that the title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: “Mr. President—The House of Representatives agree to the conference asked by the Senate, on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses, on the amendment proposed by the Senate to the resolution in favour of Robert Lefavour, and have appointed Messrs. Upham, Peabody, and Pierce of Hillsborough, managers on their part.

“They have passed a resolution, instructing the joint committee on the State House and State House Yard, to inquire into the expediency of covering the roof of the State House with slates, and to report the probable expense thereof, at the present session of the Legislature.

"They have also passed a resolution, authorizing William Pickering to receive of Samuel Morril all the moneys, papers, and other property in his keeping, belonging to the State; in which resolutions they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The first named resolution was read.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur therein.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The second named resolution was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That William Pickering, Treasurer of the State, be and hereby is authorized, to receive of Samuel Morril, the late Treasurer, all the moneys, papers, and other property in his keeping, belonging to the State; and that the receipt of the said William Pickering therefor, shall forever discharge the said Samuel Morril from all liability for the same.

On the question, "Shall the resolution be read the third time?" It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that the said resolution be now read the third time.

Whereupon, the said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The resolution, requesting the Governor to appoint some suitable person to deliver the Election Sermon in June next, was taken up and considered.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur therein.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives agree to the amendment proposed by the Senate, to the bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Peter Chadwick, and W. H. Y. Hackett." And he withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The Senate adjourned.

SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourns, it be to three o'clock in the afternoon on Monday next.

On motion by Mr. Bixby—*The Senate adjourned.*

MONDAY, JUNE 15, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled "An act in favour of Eleazer Taft," in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The last named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Claims.

On motion by Mr. Hall—

The Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, "An act to disannex Ebenezer Little, James Little, and Rowell Colby, and their lands described therein, from the town of Grantham, and annex them to the town of Enfield;" also, a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Samuel Morrill;" also, a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain lands to Thomas Walker; also, a resolution, granting the Laws of the State to the town of Milan; also, an address to His Excellency the Governor, for the removal of certain military officers: in which bills, resolutions, and address, they request the concurrence of the Senate. The House of Representatives disagree to the amendment proposed by the Senate to the bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Ephraim H. Mahurin and Thomas Bellows." And he withdrew.

The first named bill was read a first and second time: and,

On motion—

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The second named bill was read a first and second time: and,

On motion—

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Claims.

The first named resolution was read a first and second time: and,

On motion—

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The second named resolution was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That the town of Milan have and receive the Laws of the State of New-Hampshire, at the expense of the State, and that the Treasurer be requested to procure and deliver the same to the Representative for the District of Northumberland, Milan, &c.

On motion—

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Said address was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

To His Excellency Benjamin Pierce, Captain General and Commander-in-Chief of the Militia of the State of New-Hampshire.

The Senate and House of Representatives of said State, in General Court convened, represent to your Excellency that the following officers, who have been duly commissioned in the militia of said State, have removed and gone without the limits of their respective commands, without having resigned their commissions, namely: Hiram A. Prescott, 2d Lieutenant of the company of artillery in the 18th regiment; and Hiram Moore, Captain of the 5th company of infantry; Daniel Herrick, cornet of the company of cavalry; and Newton A. Pruden, Ensign of the 4th company of infantry in the 24th regiment.

The Senate and House of Representatives therefore request, that the aforesaid officers be removed from their respective commands, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution.

On motion—

Ordered, That said address be referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Resolved, That the Senate do insist on their amendment to the bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Ephraim H. Mahurin, and Thomas Bellows."

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Chadwick, from the managers on the part of the Senate, at a conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses, on the amendment proposed by the Senate to the resolution making an allowance to Robert Lefavour, late Commissary General, reported, that the conferees on the part of the two Houses have agreed to recommend to their said Houses respectively, that they so far recede from their several votes and proceedings thereon, as to adopt, in lieu of the amendment proposed by the Senate, the following amendment: strike out the words "three hundred and twenty-eight dollars," and insert "three hundred and one dollars and twenty-seven cents."

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate so far recede from their amendment to said resolution, as to adopt the amendment reported by the committee of conference.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Steele, from the committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred an address to His Excellency the Governor, for the removal of certain military officers, reported the same, without amendment.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.
Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to which was referred the bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Samuel Morril," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, "Shall this bill be read the third time?" It was determined in the affirmative. A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives so far recede from their disagreement to the amendment proposed by the Senate, to the resolution in favour of Robert Lefavour, late Commissary General, as to adopt the amendment reported by the committee of conference." And he withdrew.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to which was referred the resolution, granting the laws of the State to the town of Milan, reported the same without amendment.

On the question, "Shall this resolution be read the third time?" It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Freese—

The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 1829.

AFTERNOON.
Met according to adjournment.

The resolution, granting the laws of the State to the town of Milan, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Samuel Morril," was read the third time.

Resolved, That said bill pass, and that the title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

AFTERNOON.
Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to which was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to disanex Ebenezer Little, James Little, and Rowell Colby, and their lands described therein, from the town of Grantham, and annex them to the town of Enfield," with the petition and other accompanying papers, reported, that the further consideration thereof be postponed to the next session of the Legislature, and that the petitioners cause the substance of their petition and this order, to be printed in all the numbers of the New-Hampshire Spectator, printed at Newport, during the month of February next. The report was read; and,

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur therein.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that the committee had examined, and found duly engrossed, a resolution, authorizing William Pickering, Treasurer of this State, to receive of Samuel Morrill, late Treasurer, all the moneys, papers, and other property in his keeping belonging to the State: a resolution, authorizing His Excellency the Governor to appoint some suitable person to deliver the Election Sermon in June next: a resolution, in favour of Robert Lefavour: a resolution, granting the Laws of the State to the town of Milan: a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Samuel Morrill:" a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Peter Chadwick, and W. H. Y. Hackett:" and an address to His Excellency the Governor, for the removal of certain military officers.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives recede from their disagreement to the amendment proposed by the Senate to the bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Ephraim H. Mahurin, and Thomas Bellows," and have agreed to adopt said amendment." And he withdrew.

Mr. Chadwick submitted the following resolutions:

Resolved, That it is expedient to make a general reduction of the salaries of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas; and also, a reduction, in proportion to the number of terms of said Court, they, or either of them, may be absent.

Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be instructed to bring in a bill, embracing the provisions in the foregoing resolution.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That said resolutions lie on the table, and be made the order of the day for to-morrow, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Resolved, That the committee on Schools and Seminaries of Learning be instructed to inquire into the expediency of repealing the 4th and 9th sections of an act, entitled, "An act for the support and regulation of primary schools," passed July 6, 1827, and whether any or what alterations need be made in said law.

Mr. Harper submitted the following resolution:

Resolved, That it is expedient to reduce the salary of the Adjutant General two hundred dollars, and that the committee on the Judiciary be instructed to bring in a bill to that effect.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Ordered, That said resolution lie on the table, and be made the order of the day for to-morrow, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Mr. Chamberlain submitted the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the law of this State for establishing a Court of Common Pleas, ought to be repealed:

Resolved, That provision ought to be made, by law, for the establishment of a Court, to consist of two Justices in each county in this State, who, together with one of the Justices of the Superior

Court of Judicature, shall constitute a County Court, and who shall have jurisdiction in their respective counties over all matters not cognizable by the Court of Common Pleas and the Superior Court of Judicature, except capital trials:

Resolved, That provision ought to be made, by law, for holding a term of the Superior Court of Judicature, annually, in each county of the State, for the hearing and determination of all questions of Law arising before the County Court, and for the trial of capital cases, and for the determination of all other matters not requiring a trial by jury:

Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be instructed to introduce a bill, embracing, in its provisions, the principles of the above resolutions.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Ordered, That said resolutions lie on the table, and be made the order of the day for to-morrow, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to which was referred a resolution, granting certain lands to Thomas Walker, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, “Shall this resolution be read the third time?” It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Harper, from the committee on so much of the Governor’s message as relates to Finance, reported as follows:

“That there is not a dollar in the treasury, and that they find the State in debt about fifteen thousand dollars:

“They recommend the following ways and means to be adopted, to raise money to discharge the ordinary demands against the State the present year:

“First, that a law be passed, authorizing the Treasurer to borrow, for the use of the State, sixteen thousand dollars: also, that the operation of the law of the 31st of December, 1828, be so far suspended as to prevent the distribution of the literary fund, now in the treasury of the State, for one year; and that the Treasurer be authorized to borrow the same, at six per cent, for the use of the State.”

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That said report lie on the table.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk:—“Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, ‘An act to repeal an act, entitled, ‘An act establishing a Board of Road Commissioners, and for laying out and repairing highways,’ passed January 3, A. D. 1829, and for other purposes;’ also, a bill, entitled, ‘An act in favour of John Kelly and Benjamin B. French;’ also, a bill, entitled, ‘An act defining the duties of County Solicitors;’ in which bills they request the concurrence of the Senate. The Speaker of the House of Representative having signed the four resolutions, two bills, and the address, last reported by the committee on Engrossed Bills, to have been correctly engrossed, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of their President.” And he withdrew.

The first named bill was read a first and second time.
Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.
The second named bill was read a first and second time.
Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Claims.
The third named bill was read a first and second time.
Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.
The President having signed the bills, resolutions, and address, last presented for his signature, they were delivered to the committee on Engrossed Bills, to be laid before the Governor.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That the Secretary be directed to lay before the Senate, the returns of the receipts and expenditures in the several counties, made in pursuance of law, by the County Treasurers, for the last year.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—
The Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

The resolution, granting certain lands to Thomas Walker, was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Agreeably to the order of the day, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolution, providing for the reduction of the salaries of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing Messrs. Chase of Hopkinton, Law, and Sargent of Allenstown, with such as the Senate may join, a committee, to take into consideration the subject of printing the laws of this State, and fixing the compensation therefor; also, a resolution, instructing the committee on the State House and State House Yard, to inquire into the expediency of covering the roof of the State Prison with slate; in which resolutions they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The first named resolution was read.

On motion—
Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the appointment of a joint committee, agreeably to said resolution.

Ordered, That Mr. Freese be the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The second named resolution was read.

On motion—
 Resolved, That the Senate do concur therein.
 Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Agreeably to the order of the day, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolution, proposing a reduction of the salary of the Adjutant General.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

Agreeably to the order of the day, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolutions relative to a repeal of the law establishing a Court of Common Pleas, and other subjects.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The resolutions were referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The President of the Senate communicated a letter from the Secretary of the State, transmitting the returns of the receipts and expenditures in the several counties, made in pursuance of law by the County Treasurers for the last year, in compliance with the resolution of the Senate of yesterday.

The letter was read.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Ordered, That the letter, with the accompanying papers, be referred to a select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Harper, Chamberlain, and Freese, be the committee.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to which was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to repeal an act, entitled, 'An act establishing a Board of Road Commissioners, and for laying out and repairing highways,' passed January 3, 1829, and for other purposes," reported the same, with the following amendment; in section 1, lines 3 and 4, strike out the words, "to establish," and insert the word, "establishing." It was determined to read the bill.

On the question, "Will the Senate adopt said amendment?" It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, "Shall this bill, as amended, be read a third time?" It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The report of the committee on so much of the Governor's message as relates to finance, was taken up and considered.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Ordered, That said report be re-committed to the same committee.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that the four resolutions, two bills, and address, last signed by the President of the Senate, had been laid before the Governor.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to which was referred the bill, entitled, "An act in favour of John Kelly and Benjamin B. French, reported the same without amendment.

On the question, "Shall this bill be read the third time?" It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to which was referred a resolution relative to a reduction of the salaries of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, reported, that it is not expedient to legislate on the subject of said resolution at the present session, and recommended the following resolution:

Resolved, That the further consideration of the subject be postponed to the next session of the Legislature.

The report was read.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to which were referred the resolutions relative to a repeal of the law establishing a Court of Common Pleas, and other subjects, reported, that it is not expedient to legislate on the subject of said resolutions at the present session, and recommended the following resolution:

Resolved, That the further consideration of this subject be postponed to the next session of the Legislature.

The report was read.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

To amend said report, by adding to the resolution recommended by the committee, the following: "And that the three first resolutions be published in the several newspapers which may be designated to publish the laws of this State, immediately after the publication of the laws of this session;" it was determined in the negative.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in said report.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

The committee on the Judiciary, which was instructed to inquire into the expediency of repealing the law establishing the present Court of Common Pleas, and the act of January 3, 1829, establishing a Board of Road Commissioners in the several counties in this State; and of passing a law for the organization of a Court of Common Pleas in the several counties, was discharged from the further consideration of said subject.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

The committee on the Judiciary, which was instructed to inquire into the expediency of providing, by law, that the salaries of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas be reduced in proportion to the terms of said Court from which they, or any one of them, may be absent, was discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

The bill, entitled, "An act in favour of John Kelly and Benjamin B. French," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, and that the title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to repeal an act, entitled, 'An act establishing a Board of Road Commissioners, and for laying out and repairing highways,' passed January 3, A. D. 1829; and for other purposes," was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly, and request their concurrence in said amendment.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, authorizing their Treasurer to borrow twenty-five thousand dollars for the use of the State; also, a resolution, directing Robert Lefavour, late Commissary General, to deliver to Joseph Hill, recently chosen to fill that office, the artillery, small arms, and other property in his possession belonging to the State; in which resolutions they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The first named resolution was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That the Treasurer of this State be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered, to borrow on the credit, and for the use of this State, the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, at a rate of interest not exceeding the usual rate of bank interest.

On motion—

Ordered, That said resolution be referred to the committee on so much of the Governor's message as relates to finance.

The second named resolution was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

Resolved, That Robert Lefavour, late Commissary General, be, and he is hereby directed, to deliver over to Joseph Hill, recently chosen to fill that office, all the artillery, small arms, and other property in his possession belonging to the State, and take his receipt therefor; and that said Joseph Hill be, and he hereby is, directed to make out a true and correct inventory of all such property by him received, and cause the same to be laid before this House during the first week of the next session of the Legislature.

On motion—

Ordered, That said resolution be referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Harper, from the committee on so much of the Governor's message as relates to finance, to which was referred the resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to borrow twenty-five thousand dollars for the use of the State, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time? It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Steele—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said resolution be now read the third time. Whereupon, said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Steele, from the committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred a resolution, directing Robert Lefavour, late Commissary General, to deliver to Joseph Hill, recently chosen to fill that office, all the artillery, small arms, and other property in his possession belonging to this State, reported the same, with sundry amendments. On the question, "Will the Senate adopt the first of said amendments?" to wit: after the word "Resolved," in the first line, insert the words, "by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened." It was determined in the affirmative. On the question, "Will the Senate adopt the second of said amendments?" to wit: strike out the words, "laid before this House," in the last line but one, and insert the words, "returned to the Secretary's office." It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, "Shall this resolution, as amended, be read the third time?" It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said resolution be now read the third time. Whereupon, said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly, and request their concurrence in said amendments.

Mr. Steele, from the joint committee appointed to present the thanks of the Legislature to the Rev. Humphrey Moore, for his learned, religious, and patriotick discourse, delivered before the several branches of the Legislature, and request of him a copy for the press, reported, that the committee had attended to the duty assigned to them, and had received from Mr. Moore a copy of said discourse.

On motion by Mr. Steele—

Ordered, That the Clerk be directed to procure one hundred printed copies of said discourse, for the use of the Senate.

On motion by Mr. Miller—

The Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Bixby, from the joint committee on the State House and State House Yard, which was instructed to inquire into the expediency of covering the roof of the State House with slate, and to report the probable expense thereof, reported, that it is inexpedient to cover the roof of the State House with slate the present year, and that the committee have not been able to obtain any satisfactory information of the probable expense of the same.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report of the committee.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of Centre Harbour Social Library;" a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of William Badger and others;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the East Boscowen Social Library Society;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Jaffrey Fire Engine Company;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the North Haverhill Social Library;" a resolution, authorizing the towns of Stratford and Northumberland to send a Representative; a resolution, authorizing the selectmen of the town of Adams to deposit a survey of lands in the office of the Secretary of the State; and a resolution, directing the vouchers in support of the several claims of Samuel Morril, late Treasurer, to be cancelled: in which bills and resolutions, they request the concurrence of the Senate.

"The House of Representatives agree to the amendments proposed by the Senate, to the resolution directing Robert Lefavour, late Commissary-Général, to deliver over to Joseph Hill all the property in his possession belonging to the State." And he withdrew.

The first named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The second named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Claims.

The third named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The fourth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The fifth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The first named resolution was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That the towns of Stratford and Northumberland be annexed and classed, for the purpose of electing a Representative, and the inhabitants of said towns are hereby authorized to elect and send a Representative to the General Court, until the Legislature shall otherwise order.

Ordered, That said resolution be referred to the committee on Elections.

The second named resolution was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That the selectmen of the town of Adams, in the county of Coos, and State of New-Hampshire, be, and they hereby are authorized and empowered to deposit in the office of the Secretary of State, the accompanying survey and plan of a tract of land granted to said town of Adams, by the Legislature of this State, in the year 1806, for the support of schools and the gospel, which

survey, when recorded, shall be, and hereby is, confirmation of the original grant of said land to said town of Adams: provided, said survey be within the provisions of the original grant.

Ordered, That said resolution be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Mr. Harper, from the committee to whom was referred the returns of the several County Treasurers, reported, that the committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject, and recommended the following resolution:

Resolved, That the above named reports be returned to the Secretary's office.

On motion by Mr. Hall—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report of the committee.

The third named resolution in the last message from the House of Representatives, was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

Resolved, That the vouchers in support of the several accounts of Samuel Morril, Esq. late Treasurer of the State, exhibited at the present session, be cancelled; and that they, together with the receipts of the present Treasurer, and all other papers laid before this House relating to the settlement with the Treasurer, be deposited in the office of the Secretary of State.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in said resolution.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that they had examined, and found correctly engrossed, a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer of this State to convey certain lands to Thomas Walker; a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to borrow twenty-five thousand dollars for the use of the State; and a resolution, directing Robert Lefavour, late Commissary General, to deliver over to Joseph Hill, the present Commissary General, all the property in his possession belonging to the State.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed the three resolutions last reported by the committee on Engrossed Bills, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of the President." And he withdrew.

The President having signed the three resolutions last presented for his signature, they were delivered to the committee on Engrossed Bills, to be laid before the Governor.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to which

was referred the bill, entitled, "An act defining the duties of County Solicitors," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time? it was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act in favour of William Badger and others," reported the same, with an amendment.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt said amendment? viz. strike out the words "four dollars and eighty cents," in the third clause, and insert the words "three dollars and fifteen cents;" it was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said bill be now read the third time. Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Bixby gave notice, that to-morrow he should ask leave to introduce a bill to incorporate the Francetown Fire Engine Company.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, instructing the joint committee on the State House and State House Yard, to appoint some suitable person to take charge of the State House and State House Yard, the present year; and a resolution, instructing the committee on the State House and State House Yard, to inquire into the expediency of painting the wood work of the State buildings; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The first named resolution was read.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur therein.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The second named resolution was read.

On motion by Mr. Cartland—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur therein.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that the three resolutions last signed by the President of the Senate, had been laid before the Governor.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to which was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the North Haverhill Social Library," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time? it was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said bill be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to which was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of Centre-Harbour Social Library," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said bill be now read the third time. Whereupon said bill was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Weare Union Library;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Wilton Manufacturing Company;" a bill, entitled, "An act for taxing the stock of Fire Insurance Companies;" a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Robert E. Pecker;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the First Union Congregational Singing Society in Chichester;" a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey to Benjamin Pitman and another, a portion of State's land; and a resolution, requesting the Clerk or principal officer of the New-England Fire Insurance Company, to lay before the Legislature a statement of the affairs of said Company; in which bills and resolutions, they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The first named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The second named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Manufacturing Establishments.

The third named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The fourth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Claims.

The fifth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The first named resolution was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The second named resolution was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General

Court convened, That the Clerk or principal officer of the New-England Fire Insurance Company, is hereby requested to lay before the Legislature a statement of the affairs of said Company, as soon as may be, during the present session; and submit to an examination concerning the same, agreeably to the act of Incorporation.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Jaffrey Fire Engine Company," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the East Boston Social Library," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to pay, annually, to the Representatives of the several towns in this State, the share or proportion of the Literary Fund accruing to said towns; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The last named resolution was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That the Treasurer be, and he hereby is, authorized to pay, annually, to the Representative or Representatives of the several towns in this State, the share or proportion of the Literary Fund, accruing to said towns, taking therefor the receipt of such Representative or Representatives: and it shall be the duty of the Representative or Representatives, receiving the same as aforesaid, to pay over the same, as soon as may be, to the treasurer or selectmen of said towns, and take his or their receipt therefor.

Ordered, That said resolution be referred to the committee on Schools and Seminaries of Learning.

On motion by Mr. Hall—

The Senate adjourned.

SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee to whom was referred the petition of William Triggs, jr., and the petition of James Key, reported the following resolution:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That the Treasurer of this State be, and is hereby, authorized to convey to James Key, of Wolfeborough, in the county of Strafford, yeoman, all the right, title, and interest, which the State of New-Hampshire hath, unto a parcel of land situated in

said Wolfeborough, containing forty seven acres, being part of lot No. 5, of Peabody's Grant, so called, which was conveyed to the State of New-Hampshire by Joseph Lary, by deed, dated May 2, 1793, on condition, that the said James Key shall, within sixty days from the date hereof, cause the same to be appraised, under oath, and at the expense of said Key, by Jonathan Blake, Samuel Fox, and Henry B. Rust, Esquires, all of Wolfeborough aforesaid; and shall, within sixty days after said appraisal, pay to the Treasurer of this State the sums at which the same shall be so appraised.

And be it further resolved, That in case the said James Key, by himself, his heirs, or assigns, shall not, within one hundred and twenty days, as aforesaid, have caused the said tract of land to have been appraised, as aforesaid, and payment thereof made to the Treasurer of this State, as aforesaid; then the said Treasurer is hereby authorized to convey to William Triggs, jr., of said Wolfeborough, gentleman, all the right and title which the State of New-Hampshire has to the said parcel of land, on condition, he the said Triggs shall, within sixty days after the expiration of the said one hundred and twenty days, cause the same to be appraised, as aforesaid, by the said Jonathan Blake, Samuel Fox, and Henry B. Rust, Esquires, under oath, and at the expense of the said William Triggs, jr., and shall, within sixty days after said appraisal, pay to the Treasurer of this State the sum at which the same shall be appraised.

Said resolution was read a first and second time.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the resolution, authorizing the selectmen of the town of Adams to deposit a survey of a tract of land granted to said town, in the Secretary's office, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the East Boscawen Social Library Society," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act defining the duties of County Solicitors," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Jaffrey Fire Engine Company," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

The resolutions, relative to a reduction of the salaries of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, with the report of the committee, were taken up, and considered.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

That said resolutions be re-committed to the committee on the Judiciary, with instructions to report a bill embracing the provisions of said resolutions; the yeas and nays being called by Mr. Chadwick; those who voted in the affirmative are, Mr. Greenleaf, Mr. Freese, Mr. Steele, Mr. Harper, Mr. Chadwick, Mr. Emerson.—Those who voted in the negative are, Mr. Wentworth, Mr. Bixby, Mr. Chamberlain, Mr. Hall, Mr. Miller, Mr. Cartland.

Yea, 6—Nays, 6.

So the motion did not prevail.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the said report of the committee; and, agreeably thereto,

Resolved, That the further consideration of the subject be postponed to the next session of the Legislature.

Mr. Bixby, from the committee on the State House and State House Yard, which was instructed to inquire into the expediency of covering the roof of the State Prison with slate, reported, that it is inexpedient to cover the State Prison with slate.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the said report.

Mr. Hall, from the joint committee on the Library, which was authorized and instructed to appoint some suitable person to act as Librarian during the present year, reported, that they had attended to the duty assigned to them, and had appointed Isaac C. Bradley to that office.

Mr. Harper, from the committee on Manufacturing Establishments, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Wilton Manufacturing Company," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it be to three o'clock in the afternoon, on Monday next.

Agreeably to notice given, Mr. Bixby asked and obtained leave to introduce a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate certain persons by the name of the Francestown Engine Company."

Said bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that the resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain lands, to James Key, be now read the third time.

Whereupon said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly, and request their concurrence in said resolution.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Schools and Seminaries of Learning, to which was referred a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to pay to the Representatives of towns the proportion of the Literary Fund accruing to said towns, reported the same, with an amendment.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt said amendment? to wit: after the word "pay," in the fourth line, strike out the word "annually;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this resolution, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said resolution be now read the third time.

Whereupon, said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a resolution, requesting the Clerk or principal officer of the New-England Fire Insurance Company, to lay before the Legislature a statement of the affairs of said Company, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Hall—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that it now be read the third time.

Whereupon said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Freese—

The Senate adjourned.

MONDAY, JUNE 22, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Wilton Manufacturing Company," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution, authorizing the selectmen of the town of Adams to deposit a survey of land in the Secretary's office, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives agree to the amendment proposed by the Senate, to a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to pay to the Representatives of the several towns, the proportion of the Literary Fund accruing to said towns." And he withdrew.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing Messrs. Mack, Piper of Stratham, J. T. Gilman, and Wardwell, with such as the Senate may join, a committee to report at what time the present session of the Legislature may close; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The last named resolution was read.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the appointment of a joint committee, agreeably to said resolution.

Ordered, That Mr. Cartland be joined to the committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Weare Union Library," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate certain persons by the name of the Francesstown Engine Company," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the First Union Congregational Singing Society in Chichester," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey to Benjamin Pitman and William Stilphen, a tract of land, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that they had examined, and found correctly engrossed, a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the North-Ha-

verhill Social Library ;" a bill, entitled, " An act to incorporate the Proprietors of Centre-Harbour Social Library ;" a bill, entitled, " An act to incorporate the East-Boscawen Social Library Society ;" a bill, entitled, " An act in favour of Ephraim H. Mahurin and Thomas Bellows ;" a bill, entitled, " An act in favour of John Kelly and Benjamin B. French ;" a bill, entitled, " An act defining the duties of County Solicitors ;" and a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to pay over to the Representatives of the several towns, the proportion of the Literary Fund accruing to said towns.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk :— " Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed the six bills, and the resolution, last reported by the committee on Engrossed Bills, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of their President." And he withdrew.

The President signed the six bills, and the resolution, last presented for his signature, and they were delivered to the committee on Engrossed Bills, to be laid before the Governor.

Mr. Miller, from the committee on Elections, to which was referred the resolution, classing the towns of Northumberland and Stratford for the purpose of electing a Representative, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time ?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that the six bills, and the resolution, last signed by the President of the Senate, had been laid before the Governor.

Mr. Chadwick gave notice, that to-morrow he should ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled, " An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, passed December 16, 1828, entitled, ' An act relating to the settlement of paupers.' "

On motion by Mr. Miller—

The Senate adjourned.

— TUESDAY, JUNE 23, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

The bill, entitled, " An act to incorporate the Weare Union Library," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, " An act to incorporate certain persons by the name of the Francestown Engine Company," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution, authorizing the towns of Northumberland and Stratford to elect a Representative, was taken up, and considered.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That said resolution be re-committed to the committee on Elections, with instructions to report a statement of facts.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: “Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, “An act to incorporate Meridian Sun Chapter:” a bill, entitled, “An act to incorporate Wendell Social Library:” a bill, entitled, “An act prescribing the duty and regulating the office of Sheriff:” a bill, entitled, “An act to incorporate the Londonderry Union Library:” a bill, entitled, “An act providing for the regulation and government of the State-Prison:” a bill, entitled, “An act declaring the mode of conveyance by deed:” a bill, entitled, “An act regulating the office of Coroner:” a bill, entitled, “An act to establish times and places for holding Courts of Probate in the county of Hillsborough:” a bill, entitled, “An act providing for the compensation of the officers of the civil list:” a bill, entitled, “An act to incorporate John L. Corliss and his associates, by the name of the South-Haverhill Social Library:” a bill, entitled, “An act to incorporate a town by the name of Berlin:” a bill, entitled, “An act in addition to an act, entitled, ‘An act defining the jurisdiction, powers, and duties of a Judge of Probate, and the duties, exemptions, and liabilities of executors, administrators, and guardians, in certain cases,’ passed July 2, 1822:” a bill, entitled, “An act in addition to and amendment of an act, entitled, ‘An act regulating licensed houses:’” a bill, entitled, “An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the First Methodist Meeting House in Marlow:” a bill, relating to prosecutions for libel, and to pleadings in actions for libel and slander: a bill, entitled, “An act to incorporate the New-Hampshire Salt Manufacturing Company:” a resolution, making an appropriation for repairs of artillery, and other purposes: a resolution, authorizing Milan, Percy, and other towns, to elect a Representative: a resolution, authorizing the Governor and Council to appoint a committee to collect practical information on the subject of the culture of silk: and a resolution, appointing a joint committee to audit the account of the late Treasurer, for moneys advanced and services rendered, in relation to the conversion of stocks and other securities composing the Literary Fund into money, and the distribution thereof: in which bills and resolutions, they request the concurrence of the Senate.” *And he withdrew.*

The first named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The second named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations. The third named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The fourth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The fifth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The sixth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The seventh named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The eighth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The ninth named bill was read a first and second time.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That it be referred to a select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Chadwick, Hall, and Freese, be the committee.

The tenth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The eleventh named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The twelfth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The thirteenth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The fourteenth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The fifteenth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The sixteenth named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The first named resolution was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

The second named resolution was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Elections.

The third named resolution was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Manufacturing Establishments.

The last named resolution was read.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain lands to Benjamin Pitman and William Stilphen, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the First Union Congregational Singing Society in Chichester," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

Agreeably to notice given, Mr. Chadwick asked and obtained leave to introduce a bill, entitled, "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, passed December 16, 1828, entitled, 'An act relating to the settlement of paupers.'"

The bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to establish times and places for holding Courts of Probate in the county of Hillsborough," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Harper, from the committee on Manufacturing Establishments, to whom was referred a resolution, authorizing the Governor and Council to appoint a committee to collect information on the subject of the culture of silk, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act declaring the mode of conveyance by deed," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Harper gave notice, that to-morrow he should ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled, "An act in addition to an act to amend an act, entitled; 'An act for the publication of the acts and journals of the Legislature,' passed July 7, 1826."

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to which was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate Meridian Sun Chapter," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate Wendell Social Library," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Londonderry Union Library," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the New-Hampshire Salt Manufacturing Company," reported the same, with amendments.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the first of said amendments? viz. strike out the words "or at any," after the words "said first meeting," in the tenth line of the third section;

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the second of said amendments? viz. insert, after the words "of said corporation," in the second line on the third page, the words "provided they are not repugnant to the constitution and laws of this State;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Steele, from the committee on Military Affairs, which was instructed to inquire into the expediency of reducing the salary of the Adjutant General two hundred dollars, made a report, accompanied by the following resolution:

Resolved, That it is inexpedient, at present, to take any measures on the subject.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate John L. Corliss and his associates, by the name of the South-Haverhill Social Library," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the First Methodist Meeting-House in Marlow," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act regulating the office of Coroner," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act in addition to an act, entitled, 'An act defining the jurisdiction, powers, and duties, of a Judge of Probate, and the duties, exemptions, and liabilities, of executors, administrators, and guardians, in certain cases,' passed July 2, 1822," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act providing for the regulation and government of the State-Prison," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the same committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act in addition to and amendment of an act, entitled, 'An act regulating licensed houses,' passed July 7, 1827," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the same committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, passed December 16, 1828, entitled, 'An act relating to the settlement of paupers,'" reported the same, without amendment.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the same committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act for taxing the stock of Fire Insurance Companies," reported the same, without amendment, accompanied by the following resolution:

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill be indefinitely postponed.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That said bill, with the accompanying resolution, lie on the table.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, "An act making appropriations for the militia of this State;" and a resolution, making a compensation to the Rev. Humphrey Moore, for his Election Sermon; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee to whom was referred the bill entitled, "An act providing for the compensation of the officers of the civil list," reported the same, without amendment.

On motion by Mr. Harper—to amend said bill, by striking out the word "eight," in the sixth line of the first section, and inserting the word "seven," a division of the motion was required by Mr. Chamberlain.

On the question upon the first division of said motion, viz. to strike out the word "eight," in the sixth line of the first section;

It was determined in the negative—yeas 1—nays 11.

The yeas and nays being required by Mr. Harper—

In the affirmative was Mr. Harper.

In the negative were, Messrs. Greenleaf, Freese, Steele, Chadwick, Wentworth, Bixby, Emerson, Chamberlain, Hall, Miller, Cartland.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

The bill, last received from the House of Representatives, was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Military Affairs. The resolution, last received from the House of Representatives, was read a first and second time.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said resolution be now read the third time.

Whereupon, said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr Bixby, from the joint committee on the State-House and State-House Yard, which was instructed to appoint some suitable person to take charge of the State-House and State-House Yard the present year, reported the following resolution :

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That Isaac C. Bradley be appointed to take charge of the State-House and State-House Yard the ensuing year.

The resolution was read.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Bixby, from the same committee, which was instructed to inquire into the expediency of painting the wood work of the State buildings, reported the following resolution :

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That it is expedient to paint the exterior wood-work of the State-House, as soon as may be convenient; and that some suitable person be appointed to carry the same into effect.

On motion—

Ordered, That said resolution lie on the table.

Mr. Steele, from the committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred a resolution, making an appropriation for the repairs of gun-houses, carriages, and harness, in the 9th and 16th regiments, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time ?

It was determined in the affirmative.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate Meridian Sun Chapter," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the First Methodist Meeting-House in Marlow," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled "An act to incorporate John L. Corliss and his associates, by the name of the South-Haverhill Social Library," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Londonderry Union Library," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate Wendell Social Library," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to establish times and places of holding Courts of Probate in the county of Hillsborough," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the New-Hampshire Salt Manufacturing Company," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act declaring the mode of conveyance by deed," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution, authorizing the Governor and Council to appoint a committee to collect information on the subject of the culture of silk, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Miller, from the committee on Elections, to whom was re-committed a resolution relative to the classification of the towns of Stratford and Northumberland, reported a statement of facts.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Agreeably to notice given, Mr. Harper asked and obtained leave to introduce a bill, entitled, "An act in addition to an act to amend an act, entitled, 'An act for the publication of the acts and journals of the Legislature,' passed July 7, 1826."

The bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing Isaac C. Bradley to take charge of the State-House and State-House Yard the present year; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate. The House of Representatives agree to the amendment proposed by the Senate to the bill, entitled, "An act in favour of William Badger and others." And he withdrew.

The last mentioned resolution was read.

On motion by Mr. Hall—

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act providing for the compensation of the officers of the civil list," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act providing for the regulation and government of the State-Prison," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act in addition to an act, entitled, 'An act defining the jurisdiction, powers, and duties, of a Judge of Probate, and the duties, exemptions, and liabilities of executors, administrators, and guardians, in certain cases,' passed July 2, 1822," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act regulating the office of Coroner," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act in addition to and amendment of an act, entitled, 'An act regulating licensed houses,' passed July 7, 1827," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution, classing the towns of Stratford and Northumberland for the purpose of electing a Representative, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution, authorizing an appropriation for the repairing of gun-houses, carriages, and harnesses, in the 9th and 16th regiments, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate a town by the name of Berlin," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act prescribing the duty and regulating the office of Sheriff," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Eleazer Taft," reported the same, with an amendment.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt said amendment? viz.—strike yout the word "three," before the word "dollars," in the third line, and insert the word "nine;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Robert E. Pecker," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that they had examined, and found correctly engrossed, a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the First Union Congregational Singing Society in Chichester;" a bill, entitled, "An act to establish the times and places of holding Courts of Probate in the county of Hillsborough;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate Wendell Social Library;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate John L. Corliss and his associates, by the name of the South-Haverhill Social Library;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Londonderry Union Library;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the First Methodist Meeting-House in Marlow;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Jaffrey Fire Engine Company;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Wilton Manufacturing Company;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Weare Union Library;" a resolution, authorizing the Selectmen of the town of Adams to deposit, in the Secretary's office, a survey and plan of land, granted to said town of Adams: a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain land to Benjamin Pit-

man and William Stilphen: a resolution, authorizing the Governor and Council to appoint a committee to collect practical information on the subject of the culture of silk: and a resolution, in favour of the Rev. Humphrey Moore.

Mr. Steele, from the committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act making appropriations for the militia of this State," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Miller, from the committee on Elections, to which was referred a resolution, classing the towns of Milan, Percy, Dummer, and Winslow's Location, for the purpose of electing a Representative, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

The Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

The bill, entitled, "An act prescribing the duties and regulating the office of Sheriff," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed the nine bills, and the four resolutions, last reported, by the committee on Engrossed Bills, to have been correctly engrossed, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of their President. The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, "An act defining the duties of Town Clerks in certain cases;" a bill entitled, "An act relating to the powers of Publick Notaries, and the preservation of their records;" a bill, entitled, "An act to prevent frauds and perjuries;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate Libanus Lodge, No. forty-nine, in Somersworth;" a bill, entitled, "An act to further exempt the New-Hampshire Iron Factory Company from taxes, except in certain cases, for the term of five years from and after the 18th day of June, 1830;" a resolution, appropriating four hundred dollars for erecting a brick wall in front of the arsenal in Portsmouth;" and a resolution, making an appropriation for the indigent deaf and dumb children: in which bills and resolutions they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The bill, entitled, "An act making appropriations for the militia of this State," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate a town by the name of Berlin," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Robert E. Pecker," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Eleazer Taft," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution, authorizing the towns of Milan, Percy, Dummer, and Winslow's Location, to send a Representative to the General Court, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The five bills, and the two resolutions, last received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read a first and second time.

Ordered, That the first mentioned of said bills be referred to the committee on Elections.

Ordered, That the second and third mentioned of said bills be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the fourth mentioned of said bills be referred to committee on Incorporations.

Ordered, That the fifth mentioned bill be referred to the committee on Manufacturing Establishments.

Ordered, That the first mentioned resolution be referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

Ordered, That the last mentioned resolution be referred to the committee on Schools and Seminaries of Learning.

The President having signed the nine bills, and the four resolutions, last presented for his signature, they were delivered to the committee on Engrossed Bills, to be laid before the Governor.

Mr. Harper gave notice, that to-morrow he should ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled, "An act to provide for the collection of taxes upon the unimproved lands of non-residents."

On motion by Mr. Cartland—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that leave be given to introduce said bill at the present time.

Whereupon said bill was introduced; and, having been read a first and second time;

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives

have passed a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the town of Waterville," in which they request the concurrence of the Senate. The House of Representatives agree to the amendments proposed by the Senate, to the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the New-Hampshire Salt Manufacturing Company." And he withdrew.

The bill last received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Mr. Steele, from the committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred a resolution, appropriating four hundred dollars for erecting a brick wall in front of the arsenal in Portsmouth, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that the bills and resolutions last signed by the President of the Senate had been laid before the Governor.

Mr. Chadwick, from the joint committee appointed to wait on Dudley S. Palmer, William Pickering, and Joseph Hill, and inform them of their election to the offices of Secretary, Treasurer, and Commissary General, reported, that the committee had attended to the duty assigned to them, and had received from those officers the customary bonds, which had been laid before the House of Representatives.

On motion by Mr. Freese—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, relating to the report of the Commissioners appointed to establish the boundary line between this State and the State of Maine; and an address to His Excellency the Governor for the removal of certain military officers; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The last mentioned resolution was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That the Governor be, and he hereby is, requested to issue his proclamation, making known to the citizens of this State the situation and course of the boundary line aforesaid, as ascertained and established by the Commissioners, pursuant to a resolution of this State, passed on the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-seven, in conjunction with certain Commissioners appointed by the State of Maine.

On motion by Mr. Steele—

Ordered, That it be referred to a select committee of three.

Ordered, That Messrs. Chadwick, Steele, and Freese, be the committee.

The address last mentioned, was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

To His Excellency Benjamin Pierce, Captain General and Commander-in-Chief of the Militia of the State of New-Hampshire.

The Senate and House of Representatives of said State, in General Court convened, respectfully represent to your Excellency, that the following officers, who have been duly commissioned in the militia of said State, have removed and gone without the limits of their respective commands, without having resigned their commission, namely: Dudley Becket, Captain of the company of light infantry in the fourth regiment; Zebulon D. Stickney, 2d Lieutenant of the company of cavalry in the fifteenth regiment; Benaiah Dow, Ensign of the third company of light infantry in the eighteenth regiment; Aaron Morrill, Ensign of the company of light infantry in the thirty-third regiment; and Matthew H. Emerson, Captain of the second rifle company in the fortieth regiment.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Harper, from the committee on Manufacturing Establishments, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act further to exempt the New-Hampshire Iron Factory Company from taxes, except in certain cases, for the term of five years from and after the 18th day of June, 1830," reported the same, with an amendment.

On motion by Mr. Cartland—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate Libanus Lodge No. forty-nine, in Somersworth," reported the same, with an amendment.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt said amendment? viz. strike out the words, "that said Lodge may, at any of the regular communications, by giving one month's notice at a regular communication," between the words "enacted," in the first line of the second section, and "elect," in the third line of the second section, and insert the following: "that said Asa Perkins, Noah Martin, and Zenas Crowell, or any two of them, may call the first meeting of said corporation, at such time and place, and in such manner, as they may think proper; and said corporation may, at said meeting:"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

The bill, entitled, "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, passed December 16, 1828, entitled, 'An act relating to the settlement of paupers,'" was taken up, and considered.

On motion by Mr. Steele—

That said bill be indefinitely postponed;

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That said bill be committed to a select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Chadwick, Harper, and Bixby, be the committee

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the town of Waterville," reported the same, without amendment.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Cartland—

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill, entitled, "An act further to exempt the New-Hampshire Iron Factory Company from taxes, except in certain cases, for the term of five years from and after the 18th day of June, 1830."

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the amendment reported by the committee? viz. strike out the whole of the preamble;

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said bill be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution, appropriating four hundred dollars for erecting a brick wall in front of the arsenal in Portsmouth.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Miller—

The Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The resolution, making an appropriation for the erection of a wall in front of the arsenal in Portsmouth, was taken up, and considered.

Said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act in addition to an act to amend an act, entitled, 'An act for the publication of the acts and journals of the Legislature,' passed July 7, 1826," reported the same, with amendments.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the first of said amendments? viz. after the word "press," in the 8th line of the 1st section, insert, "for which service the said Clerks shall respectively receive

such compensations as the Legislature shall, from time to time, order; and no copy of said journals shall be required of said Clerks;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the second of said amendments? viz. strike out the words "as soon as may be convenient," in the 10th and 11th lines of the 1st section;

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the third of said amendments? viz. strike out the whole of the second section;

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the fourth of said amendments? viz. strike out the words "to amend an act," in the title of the bill;

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the fifth of said amendments? viz. after the words "entitled an act," in the 2d line of the 3d section, insert the word "providing;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to prevent frauds and perjuries," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act relating to the powers of Publick Notaries, and the preservation of their records," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Cartland, from the joint committee, which was instructed to report at what time the present session of the Legislature may close, reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the business of the present session of the Legislature may close on Tuesday the thirtieth day of June instant.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

Ordered, That said report lie on the table.

Mr. Miller, from the committee on Elections, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act defining the duties of Town Clerks in certain cases," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the town of Waterville," was taken up, and considered.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

To amend said bill, by striking out the 3d section, and inserting, in lieu thereof, the following:

"And be it further enacted, That the proportion of publick taxes for said town of Waterville, shall be the same as is now fixed by law as the proportion of Foss and Gillis' Grant; and that said town is hereby annexed to the county of Grafton, and shall constitute a part thereof; shall be annexed to the Senatorial district numbered twelve, and to the district for the choice of Councillor numbered five and the companies in said town shall constitute a part of the fourteenth regiment of militia in this State."

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate Libanus Lodge No. forty-nine, in Somersworth," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Steele, from the committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred an address for the removal of certain military officers, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this address be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Schools and Seminaries of Learning, to whom was referred a resolution, making an appropriation for the education of indigent deaf and dumb children, reported the same, with an amendment.

On motion by Mr. Hall—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

The bill, entitled, "An act defining the duties of Town Clerks in certain cases," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the town of Waterville," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act relating to the powers of Publick Notaries, and the preservation of their records," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to prevent frauds and perjuries," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The address to His Excellency the Governor, for the removal of certain military officers, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, "An act regulating the assignment of dower," in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The last named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

The resolution, making an appropriation for the education of indigent deaf and dumb children, was taken up, and considered.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the amendment to said resolution, reported by the committee? viz. strike out the word "twelve," in the second line, and insert the word "ten;"

It was determined in the negative.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chadwick, from the select committee, to whom was referred the resolution, relating to the report of the Commissioners appointed to ascertain and establish the boundary line between this State and the State of Maine, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

The Senate adjourned.

SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

The resolution, relating to the report of the Commissioners appointed to ascertain and establish the boundary line between this State and the State of Maine, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution, making an appropriation for the education of indigent deaf and dumb children, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that they had examined, and found correctly engrossed; the following bills, viz. a bill, entitled, "An act providing for the compensa-

tion of the officers of the civil list;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate Meridian Sun Chapter;" a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of William Badger and others;" a bill, entitled, "An act declaring the mode of conveyance by deed;" a bill, entitled, "An act in addition to and amendment of an act, entitled, 'An act regulating licensed houses;" a bill, entitled, "An act in addition to an act, entitled, 'An act defining the jurisdiction, powers, and duties of a Judge of Probate, and the duties, exemptions, and liabilities of executors, administrators, and guardians,' passed July 2, 1822;" a bill, entitled, "An act prescribing the duty and regulating the office of Sheriff;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the New-Hampshire Salt Manufacturing Company;" a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Robert E. Pecker;" and a bill, entitled, "An act defining the duty of Town Clerks in certain cases."

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

The bill, entitled, "An act in addition to an act for the publication of the acts and journals of the Legislature, passed July 7, 1826," was taken up, and considered.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that it now be read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly, and request their concurrence in said bill.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives concur with the Senate in the passage of a bill, entitled, "An act incorporating certain persons by the name of the Francestown Engine Company." They agree to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the bill, entitled, "An act further to exempt the New-Hampshire Iron Factory Company from taxes, except in certain cases, for the term of five years from and after the 18th day of June, 1830." They also agree to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the town of Waterville." They have passed a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate Belknap Chapter No. 8;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Handel and Haydn Musick Society in Bradford;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Concord Aqueduct Association;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate certain persons by the name of the Literary Adelphi of the Academical and Theological Institution at New-Hampton;" and a bill, entitled, "An act to repeal the respective laws giving bounties for killing crows, wolves, bears, and wild-cats;" in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The five bills, last received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read a first and second time.

Ordered, That the first, second, third, and fourth of said bills, be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Ordered, That the fifth of said bills be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Chadwick, from the select committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, passed December 16, 1828, entitled, 'An act relating to the settlement of paupers,'" reported the same, with amendments.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the first of said amendments? viz. strike out all between the enacting clause and the proviso, to wit: "that no settlement gained under the provisions of the act, to which this is an amendment, shall be good or valid in law; nor shall any town be chargeable for the maintenance or support of any poor person after he or she shall have been absent from such town for the full term of twenty years; any thing in said act to the contrary notwithstanding;" and insert the following; "that all settlements gained under the provisions of the act, to which this is in addition, shall be so far waived, as that no action, founded on a charge for the support or relief of any person, shall be sustained against any town or place in this State, unless such support or relief shall have been rendered within the term of twenty years after such poor person ceased to be a resident in such town or place; any thing in said act to the contrary notwithstanding."

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the second of said amendments, viz. strike out the words "and in amendment of," in the title of same bill:

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourns, it be to three o'clock in the afternoon on Monday next.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to provide for the collection of taxes upon the unimproved lands of non-residents," reported the same, with amendments.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the first of said amendments? viz. strike out the words "in such newspapers as the General Court may from time to time direct," in the fifth and sixth lines from the bottom of the third page, in the second section, and insert instead thereof the following words, to wit: "in the New-Hampshire Patriot and State Gazette, printed at Concord, in the county of Merrimack:"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the second of said amendments? a division of said amendment was called for by Mr. Chadwick.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the first division of said

amendment? viz. add to the thirteenth section the following proviso, to wit: "Provided nevertheless, That nothing in this act contained shall be so construed as to affect the collection of any taxes heretofore assessed, or any suit commenced, or to be commenced, under the provisions of any act hereby repealed:"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the second division of said amendment? viz. insert, next after the last mentioned proviso, the following: "And also provided, That it shall be the duty of the several collectors aforesaid, to publish in the newspapers aforesaid, advertisements of all the lands of said delinquent owners taxed for the year 1829, agreeably to the provisions of this act:"

It was determined in the negative.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a bill to incorporate Belknap Chapter No. 8, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the same committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate certain persons by the name of the Literary Adelphi of the Academical and Theological Institution at New-Hampton," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the same committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Handel and Haydn Music Society in Bradford," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper, (he having voted with the majority)—

The vote, that the bill to incorporate Belknap Chapter, be read the third time, was re-considered.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

To amend said bill, by affixing thereto the following title, viz.

"An act to incorporate Belknap Chapter No. 8;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that it be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

The Senate adjourned.

MONDAY, JUNE 29, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate certain persons by the name of the Literary Adelphi of the Academical and Theological Institution at New-Hampton," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Handel and Haydn Musick Society in Bradford," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to provide for the collection of taxes upon the unimproved lands of non-residents," was read the third time.

On the question, Shall this bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Yea 8—Nays 4.

The yeas and nays being required by Mr. Steele—

Those who voted in the affirmative, are, Messrs. Greenleaf, Freese, Harper, Chadwick, Wentworth, Emerson, Miller, Cartland.

Those who voted in the negative, are, Messrs. Steele, Bixby, Chamberlain, Hall.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the House of Representatives in said bill.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, "An act directing the proceedings against trustees of debtors;" a bill, entitled, "An act for mending and repairing highways;" a bill, entitled, "An act prescribing the time and mode of redeeming real estate mortgaged, and the mode of foreclosing the right to redeem such estate;" a bill, entitled, "An act authorizing School District number ten, in the town of Concord, to hold additional land;" a bill, entitled, "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, entitled, 'An act for the support and regulation of primary schools,' passed July 9, 1827;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Cheshire County Library;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Trustees of the South Church Charity Fund;" a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Trustees of the First Congregational Church Fund;" a resolution, authorizing His Excellency the Governor to draw on the treasury for a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars, to defray the contingent expenses of the State for the current year; and a resolution, instructing the joint committee on the Library to inquire into the expediency of requiring the Librarian to give bonds: in which bills and resolutions they request the concurrence of the Senate. The House of Representatives concur with the Senate, in the resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain land to James Key, with

an amendment, in which they request the concurrence of the Senate. They agree to the amendment proposed by the Senate, to the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate Libanus Lodge No. 49, in Somersworth." The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed the ten bills, last reported by the committee on Engrossed Bills to have been correctly engrossed, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of their President." And he withdrew.

The eight bills, and the first named resolution, last received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read a first and second time.

Ordered, That the first, second, and third of said bills, be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the fourth and fifth of said bills be referred to the committee on Schools and Seminaries of Learning.

Ordered, That the sixth, seventh, and eighth of said bills, be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Ordered, That said first named resolution be referred to the committee on so much of the Governor's message as relates to Finance.

The second named of the resolutions, last received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur therein.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain lands to James Key, together with the amendment proposed thereto by the House of Representatives.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That said resolution, and the amendment, be re-committed to the select committee to which the subject was before referred.

The President signed the ten bills last presented for his signature, and they were delivered to the committee on Engrossed Bills, to be laid before the Governor.

The bill, entitled, "An act in addition to an act passed December 16, 1823, entitled, 'An act relating to the settlement of paupers,'" was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Concord Aqueduct Association," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act regulating the assignment of dower," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that the ten bills, last signed by the President of the Senate, had been laid before the Governor.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

The Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, JUNE 30, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act directing the proceedings against trustees of debtors," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act prescribing the time and mode of redeeming real estate mortgaged, and the mode of foreclosing the right to redeem such estate," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the same committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act for mending and repairing highways," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

The bill, entitled, "An act regulating the assignment of dower," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Concord Aqueduct Association."

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Said bill was considered, on its second reading, for the purpose of amendment.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

To amend said bill, by striking out the word "twenty," before the word "thousand," in the 9th line of the 2d section, and insert the word "one"—

A division of the motion was required.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the first division of said amendment? viz. strike out the word "twenty," in the 9th line of the 2d section;

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Steele—

To amend the second division of said amendment, by striking out the word "one," and inserting the word "two;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt said second division of said amendment as amended?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

That said bill be indefinitely postponed:

It was determined in the negative.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Cheshire County Library," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Trustees of the First Congregational Church Fund," reported the same, without amendment.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

To amend said bill, by inserting, after the word "Fund," in the 6th line of the first section, the words "in Keene;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

To amend the title of said bill, by inserting, after the word "Fund," the words "in Keene;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that it now be read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Harper, from the select committee, to whom was referred the resolution, authorizing His Excellency the Governor to draw on the treasury for a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars, to defray the contingent expenses of the State for the current year, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Seabrook Social Library;" a bill, entitled, "An act making members of Mutual Fire Insurance Companies competent witnesses in certain cases;" a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to sell the three per cent. stock: and a resolution, granting further time to the town of

Bethlehem to make return of a survey of land: in which bills and resolutions they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The two bills, and the two resolutions, last received from the House of Representatives, were severally read a first and second time.

Ordered, That the first named bill be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Ordered, That the second named bill be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the first named resolution be referred to the committee on so much of the Governor's message as relates to Finance.

Ordered, That the second named resolution be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Mr. Chadwick submitted the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the selectmen of the several towns in this State, be required to insert in their warrants for calling their next annual town meetings, on the second Tuesday of March, an article, to take the sense of the legal voters in their respective towns, on the following questions:

1. Shall the Literary Fund be appropriated toward defraying the expenses of the State Government, and thereby lessen the State tax?

2. Shall the Literary Fund be distributed in the manner as is now provided by law?

3. Shall the Literary Fund be appropriated for the establishment of a College in some central place in this State?

And that the several town clerks be required to return to the Secretary's office, on or before the first Monday of the next session of the General Court, certificates of the number of votes given in their said towns, in relation to said questions.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the State be requested to forward to the selectmen of the several towns in this State, copies of the foregoing resolution, seasonably for the insertion of the same in their said warrants.

The resolutions were read.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Ordered, That they be referred to a select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Harper, Chadwick, and Hall, be the committee.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Concord Aqueduct Association," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act directing the proceedings against the trustees of debtors," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act prescribing the time and mode of redeeming real estate mortgaged, and the mode of foreclosing the right to redeem such estate," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have agreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate, to the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate Belknap Chapter No. 8," and to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Eleazer Tait." And he withdrew.

The bill, entitled, "An act for mending and repairing highways," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution, authorizing the Governor to draw on the treasury for a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars, to defray contingent expenses, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

The bill, entitled, "An act for taxing the stock of Fire Insurance Companies," with the resolution reported by the committee, was taken up, and considered.

On the question, Will the Senate concur in the resolution reported by the committee? viz. *Resolved*, That said bill be indefinitely postponed:

The yeas and nays being required by Mr. Harper—

Those who voted in the affirmative, are, Messrs. Steele, Wentworth, Bixby, Chamberlain, Hall, Cartland.

Those who voted in the negative, are, Messrs. Greenleaf, Freese, Harper, Chadwick, Emerson, Miller.

Yea 6—Nays 6.

So the motion did not prevail.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

That said bill be postponed to the next session of the General Court:

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Harper, from the committee on so much of the Governor's message as relates to finance, to whom was referred a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to sell a portion of the three per cent. stock, reported the same, without amendment.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Seabrook Social Library," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the same committee, to whom was referred a resolution, granting further time to the town of Bethlehem to make return of a survey of land, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Cartland gave notice, that to-morrow he should ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled, "An act to repeal a part of the act regulating fees."

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that leave be given to introduce said bill at the present time.

Whereupon said bill was introduced, and read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Schools and Seminaries of Learning, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act authorizing School District numbered ten, in the town of Concord, to hold additional land," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Cartland, from the same committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, entitled, 'An act for the support and regulation of primary schools,' passed July 6, 1827," reported the same, without amendment.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives agree to the amendment proposed by the Senate, to the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Trustees of the First Congregational Church Fund in Keene." They have passed a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of William M. Richardson, John Porter, and Samuel D. Bell;" a bill, entitled, "An act to raise forty-five thousand dollars for the use of the State;" a bill, entitled, "An act subjecting lands, tenements, and hereditaments, to the payment of debts, and directing the mode of extending and levying executions upon real and personal estate;" a bill, entitled, "An act to encourage the manufacture of leather, and to prevent frauds therein;" a bill, entitled, "An act to alter the names of certain persons;" a bill, entitled, "An act authorizing the Superior Court of Judicature to make partition of real estate;" and a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer

to convey certain lands to Daniel Pinkham: in which bills and resolution, they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The six bills, and the resolution, last received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read a first and second time.

Ordered, That the first of said bills be referred the committee on Claims.

Ordered, That the second named bill be referred to the committee on so much of the Governor's message as relates to Finance.

Ordered, That the third named bill be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the fourth named bill be referred to the committee on Manufacturing Establishments.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Ordered, That the fifth named bill be referred to a select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Harper, Chadwick, and Bixby, be the committee.

On motion—

Ordered, That said resolution be referred to a select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Wentworth, Miller, and Steele, be the committee.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that they had examined, and found correctly engrossed, bills with the following titles, viz.: "An act to prevent frauds and perjuries;" "An act to incorporate Francestown Engine Company;" "An act to incorporate a new town by the name of Waterville;" "An act further to exempt the New-Hampshire Iron Factory Company from taxes, except in certain cases, for the term of five years from and after the 18th day of June, 1830;" "An act to incorporate the Handel and Haydn Musick Society in Bradford;" "An act relating to the powers of publick Notaries, and the preservation of their records;" "An act to incorporate a town by the name of Berlin;" "An act making appropriation for the militia of this State;" "An act to incorporate the Cheshire County Library."

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives agree to the amendment proposed by the Senate, to the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Concord Aqueduct Association." And he withdrew.

Mr. Harper, from the committee to whom was referred the resolution, requiring selectmen to insert certain questions relative to the disposition of the Literary Fund, in the warrants for calling the next annual town meetings, reported the same, without amendment.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

To amend said resolution, by inserting, after the word "Resolved," in the first line, the words "by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Cartland—

Ordered, That said resolution lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 1, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act making members of Mutual Fire Insurance Companies witnesses in certain cases," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the same committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act authorizing the Superior Court of Judicature to make partition of real estate," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the same committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act subjecting lands, tenements, and hereditaments, to the payment of debts, and directing the mode of extending and levying executions upon real and personal estate," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to repeal a part of the act regulating fees," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee, to whom was referred the resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain land to James Key, together with the amendment proposed by the House of Representatives, reported, that the committee do recommend a concurrence in said amendment.

On the question, Will the Senate agree to the amendment proposed by the House of Representatives? viz: strike out the remainder of the resolution, after the word "to," in the fourth line, immediately preceding the word "James," in the first section, and insert the following: "William Triggs, jr. of Wolfeborough, in the county of Strafford, gentleman, all the right and title which the State of New-Hampshire have in and to a tract of land situated in said Wolfeborough, containing forty-seven acres, and is part of lot numbered five, which tract of land was conveyed to the State of New-Hampshire by Joseph Lary, deceased, as will appear by his deed executed on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1793: Provided the said William Triggs, jr. shall, on or before the first Wednesday of June next, pay, or cause to be paid, into the treasury of this State, one hundred and thirty dollars, in consideration of said conveyance?"

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Chadwick.

Those who voted in affirmative, are, Messrs. Steele, Wentworth, Chamberlain, Hall, Miller, Cartland.

Those who voted in the negative, are, Messrs. Greenleaf, Freese, Harper, Chadwick, Bixby, Emerson.

Yea 6—Nays 6.

So the amendment was not adopted.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Harper, from the committee on Manufacturing Establishments, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to encourage the manufacture of leather, and to prevent frauds therein," reported the same, with certain amendments.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the first of said amendments? viz: strike out the words "as guilty of a fraud either," in the 6th line of the 3d section;

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the second of said amendments? viz: strike out the words "those punishments," after the word "both," in the 8th line of the 3d section;

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

The bill, entitled, "An act authorizing School District number ten, in the town of Concord, to hold additional land," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Seabrook Social Library," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution, granting further time to the town of Bethlehem to make return of a survey of land, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to repeal the respective laws giving bounties for killing crows, wolves, bears, and wildcats," reported the same, without amendment.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

To amend said bill, by striking out the proviso at the end of said bill, viz: "*Provided*, That this act shall not take effect, or be in force, until the first day of December next;"

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

To amend said bill, by striking out the word "next," after the word "December," in the last line of said bill, and inserting "1835;"

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

That said bill be postponed to the next session of the General Court;

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

To amend said bill, by striking out the word "December," in the last line of said bill, and inserting instead thereof the word "September;"

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Cartland—

To amend said bill, by striking out the words "And also an act, entitled, 'An act allowing a certain premium for killing wolves,' passed June 12th, A. D. 1801," after "1809," in the bottom line of the first page;

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Cartland—

That said bill be indefinitely postponed;

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

That said bill lie on the table,

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Steele, (he having voted with the majority)—

The motion to amend said bill, by striking out the words "And also an act, entitled, 'An act allowing a certain premium for killing wolves, passed June 12, A. D. 1801,'" in the last line of the first page, was re-considered.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

To amend said bill, by striking out the words "And also an act, entitled, 'An act allowing a certain premium for killing wolves, passed June 12, A. D. 1801,'" in the last line of the first page;

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

To postpone the further consideration of said bill to to-morrow morning at ten o'clock;

It was determined in the affirmative.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, 'An act for laying out highways,' in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The last named bill was read a first and second time.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That said bill be referred to a select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Chadwick, Harper, and Steele, be the committee.

Mr. Harper submitted the following resolution, viz:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That a suitable person be appointed by the Governor and Council, to arrange and prepare for publication, as soon as may be, a revised edition of all the statute laws and resolutions of this State, now in force; and that the person so appointed be, and he hereby is, authorized and empowered to contract with some person or persons to print, publish, and bind, — hundred copies of the said revised laws, for the use of this State, and deposit the same in the office of the Secretary of the State.

The resolution was read.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary. Mr. Harper, from the select committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to raise forty-five thousand dollars for the use of the State," reported the same, with an amendment.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Carland, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that they had examined, and found correctly engrossed, a resolution, appropriating fifty dollars for the repair of gun-houses, carriages, and harness; a resolution, authorizing Milan, Dummer, &c. to elect a Representative to the General Court; a resolution, classing the towns of Stratford and Northumberland for the choice of a Representative; a resolution, appropriating four hundred dollars for the purpose of erecting a wall to enclose the ground in front of the arsenal at Portsmouth; a resolution, relating to the report of the Commissioners establishing the boundary line between the State of New-Hampshire and the State of Maine; and an address for the removal of certain military officers.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Harper, from the select committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to alter the names of certain persons," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed the nine bills last reported by the committee on Engrossed Bills, to have been correctly engrossed, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of their President. The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to borrow twelve thousand dollars for the use of the State; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The President signed the nine bills last presented for his signature, and they were delivered to the committee on Engrossed Bills, to be laid before the Governor.

The resolution last received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read a first and second time, and is as follows:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That the Treasurer of this State be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered to borrow, on the credit of the State, and for the use of the same, a sum not exceeding twelve thousand dollars, at a rate of interest not exceeding the usual rate of bank interest: and so much of the State tax, payable into the treasury on or before the first day of December, A. D. 1829, as will be sufficient to pay said loan and interest, is hereby appropriated for that purpose: and the said Treasurer is hereby authorized and required to apply said sum to that purpose, as soon as a sufficient amount shall be paid into the treasury.

On motion—

Ordered, That said resolution be referred to the committee on so much of the Governor's message as relates to Finance.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to sell a portion of the three per cent. stock belonging to the State, was taken up, and considered.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The bill, entitled, "An act to raise forty-five thousand dollars for the use of the State," together with the amendment thereto proposed by the committee, was taken up, and considered.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt said amendment? viz: strike out the words "forty-five," in the third line of said bill, and insert, instead thereof, the word "forty;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

The bill, entitled, "An act authorizing the Superior Court of Judicature to make partition of real estate," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act subjecting lands, tenements, and hereditaments, to the payment of debts, and directing the mode of extending and levying executions upon real and personal estate," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to repeal a part of the act regulating fees," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act making members of Mutual Fire Insurance Companies competent witnesses in certain cases," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed the five resolutions, and the address, last reported to have been engrossed, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of their President." And he withdrew.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed bills with the following titles, viz: "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, entitled, 'An act providing for the publication of the acts and journals of the Legislature,' passed July 7, 1826;" "An act relating to the times and places of holding Courts of Probate in the county of Grafton;" "An act in addition to an act, entitled, 'An act to incorporate the New-Hampshire and Vermont Bridge Company,' passed June 16, 1817;" "An act to establish the rates at which polls and rateable estates shall be valued in making and assessing direct taxes;" "An act to repeal the several acts relating to fishing;" "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, entitled, 'An act relating to the powers and duties of certain officers of the militia,' passed January 2, 1829;" and a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain lands to Jacob Sargeant, jr. and others: in which bills, and resolution, they request the concurrence of the Senate. The House of Representatives insist on their amendment to the resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain lands to James Key, and ask a conference on the subject of the disagreeing votes of the two Houses; and have appointed Messrs. Sawyer of Wakefield, Sawyer of Dover, and Frost, managers on their part." And he withdrew.

The six bills, and the resolution, last received from the House of Representatives, were severally read a first and second time.

Ordered, That the first, second, and fourth named bills, be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the third named bill be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Ordered, That the fifth named bill be referred to a select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Hall, Emerson, and Freese, be the committee.

Ordered, That the sixth named bill be referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

On Motion—

Ordered, That said resolution be referred to a select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Wentworth, Miller, and Steele, be the committee.

The Senate proceeded to consider the subject of the disagreeing votes of the two Houses, on the amendment proposed by the House of Representatives, to the resolution authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain lands to James Key.

On motion—

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the conference asked thereon by the House of Representatives.

Ordered, That Messrs. Chadwick, Steele, and Harper, be the managers at said conference, on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Chamberlain submitted the following motion—

That the Treasurer be directed to lay before the Senate, as soon as may be, a statement of the moneys paid out of the treasury in each year, from 1820 to 1828 inclusive, for publishing the laws of the State in the newspapers: also, the number and names of the papers in which the laws have been published in each year during that time: and also, the amount paid to any one proprietor of a newspaper for publishing the laws within the time aforesaid.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

That said motion lie on the table;

It was determined in the negative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt said motion?

It was determined in the negative.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: “Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, that the present session of the Legislature may close on Friday, the third day of July instant, and that the Clerk be directed to make up the pay-roll accordingly.” And he withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, “An act in favour of William M. Richardson, John Porter, and Samuel D. Bell, reported the same, with an amendment.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the amendment reported by the committee? viz: strike out the words “seventy-eight,” before the word “dollars,” in the 6th line of the first section, and insert in lieu thereof, the words “sixty-six;”

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Ordered, That said bill lie on the table.

The President signed the five resolutions, and the address, last presented for his signature, and they were delivered to the committee on Engrossed Bills, to be laid before the Governor.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported,

that the five resolutions, and the address, last signed by the President of the Senate, had been laid before the Governor.

On motion by Mr. Hall—

The Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Hall, from the select committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to repeal the several acts relating to fishing," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chadwick, from the select committee, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act for laying out highways," reported the same, with an amendment.

On the question, will the Senate adopt said amendment? viz: after the word "highway," in the 2d line in the proviso, in the 9th section, insert the words "in any town, or;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said bill be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act in addition to an act, entitled an act to incorporate the New-Hampshire and Vermont Bridge Company, passed June 19th, 1817," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Wentworth, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Trustees of the South Church Charity Fund," reported the same with amendments.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the first of said amendments? viz. after the word "Fund," in the title of said bill, insert the words "in Portsmouth;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the second of said amendments? viz. after the word "Fund," in the 7th line of the first section, insert the words "in Portsmouth;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Hall—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said bill be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Wentworth, from the same committee, to whom was referred the resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey to Daniel Pinkham, all the right the State has in certain lands, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?
It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined, and found correctly engrossed, bills with the following titles, viz. “An act to incorporate the Seabrook Social Library;” “An act to incorporate the Trustees of the First Congregational Church Fund in Keene;” “An act in favour of Eleazer Taft;” “An act regulating the assignment of dower;” “An act to incorporate the Concord Aqueduct Corporation;” “An act to incorporate Libanus Lodge No. 49, in Somersworth;” “An act to incorporate Belknap Chapter No. 8;” “An act to incorporate certain persons by the name of the Literary Adelphi of the Academic and Theological Institution in New-Hampton.”

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: “Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed the eight bills, last reported by the committee on Engrossed Bills, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of their President. The House of Representatives have postponed, indefinitely, the bill, which originated in the Senate, entitled, “An act in addition to an act to amend an act for the publication of the acts and journals of the Legislature, passed July 7th, 1826.”

And he withdrew.

The President signed the eight bills last presented for his signature, and they were delivered to the committee on Engrossed Bills, to be laid before the Governor.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey land to Jacob Sargeant, jr. and others, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?
It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said resolution be now read the third time.

Whereupon, said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Cartland, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that they had examined, and found correctly engrossed, a bill, entitled, "An act providing for the regulation and government of the State-Prison;" and a bill, entitled, "An act regulating the office of coroner."

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President--The House of Representatives concur with the Senate, in the passage of a bill, entitled, "An act to repeal a part of the act regulating fees," with an amendment, in which they request the concurrence of the Senate."

And he withdrew.

The Senate proceeded to consider the amendment proposed by the House of Representatives, to the bill, entitled, "An act to report a part of the act regulating fees," viz. Strike out all that part of the bill between the word "as," in the 6th line, and the word "be," in the 10th line, and insert the following, viz. "requiring fifty cents to be paid by the Petitioner, for every petition to the General Court."

On the question, Will the Senate concur in said amendment?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to alter the names of certain persons," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred a bill relating to prosecutions for libel, and to pleadings in actions for libel and slander, reported, that the further consideration of said bill be postponed to the next session of the General Court.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick--

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, entitled, an act providing for the publication of the acts and journals of the Legislature," reported the same without amendment.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain--

To amend said bill, by striking out the word "forty," in the 6th line in the first section, and inserting the words twenty-five;" a division of the motion was called for by Mr. Chadwick.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the first division of said amendment? viz. strike out the word "forty," in the 6th line in the first section;

It was determined in the negative.

Yea 5--Nays 7.

The yeas and nays being required by Mr. Chamberlain--

Those who voted in the affirmative, are, Messrs, Steele, Bixby, Chamberlain, Hall, Miller.

Those who voted in the negative, are, Messrs. Greenleaf, Freese, Harper, Chadwick, Wentworth Emerson, Cartland.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

To amend said bill, by striking out all that part of the 4th section, after the words “resolves of the,” in the third line of said section, and inserting “Legislature, passed from time to time, to be inserted in all the newspapers now published in this State;”

A division of said motion was required by Mr. Chadwick.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the first division of said amendment? viz: strike out all that part of the 4th section which is after the words “resolves of the,” in the 3d line of said section;

It was determined in the negative.

Yea 4—Nays 8.

The yeas and nays being required by Mr. Freese—

Those who voted in the affirmative, are, Messrs. Steele, Bixby, Chamberlain, Hall.

Those who voted in the negative, are, Messrs. Greenleaf, Freese, Harper, Chadwick, Wentworth, Emerson, Miller, Cartland.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, “An act relating to the times and places of holding Courts of Probate in the county of Grafton,” reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said bill be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, “An act to establish the rates at which polls and rateable estates shall be valued in making and assessing direct taxes,” reported, that the further consideration of said bill be postponed to the next session of the General Court.

On the question, Will the Senate concur in the report of the committee?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Yea 8—Nays 4.

The yeas and nays being required by Mr. Harper—

Those who voted in the affirmative, are, Messrs. Greenleaf, Freese, Chadwick, Wentworth, Bixby, Chamberlain, Hall, Cartland.

Those who voted in the negative, are, Messrs. Steele, Harper, Emerson, Miller.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The bill, entitled, "An act to raise forty-five thousand dollars for the use of the State," was considered again, on its second reading, for the purpose of amendment.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

To amend the title of said bill, by striking out the word "five," after the word "forty;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said bill be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to encourage the manufacture of leather, and to prevent frauds therein," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to sell a portion of the three per cent. stock belonging to the State, was read the third time.

On the question, Shall this bill pass?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Yea—8—Nays 4.

The yeas and nays being required by Mr. Chamberlain—

Those who voted in the affirmative, are, Messrs. Greenleaf, Freese, Harper, Chadwick, Wentworth, Emerson, Miller, Cartland.

Those who voted in the negative, are, Messrs. Steele, Bixby, Chamberlain, Hall.

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Steele, from the committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, entitled, 'An act relating to the powers and duties of certain officers of the militia,' passed January 2, 1829," reported, that the further consideration of this bill be postponed to the next session of the General Court.

On the question, Will the Senate concur in the report of the committee?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Jacob B. Moore, and Horatio Hill and Company;" a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Gardner Towle;" and a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of James Wilcomb;" in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The three bills, last received from the House of Representatives, were severally read a first and second time.

Ordered, That the first named bill be referred to the committee on Printers' Accounts.

Ordered, That the second and third named bills be referred to the committee on Claims.

Mr. Harper, from the committee to whom was referred the resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to borrow twelve thousand dollars for the use of the State, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said resolution be now read the third time.

Whereupon said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, entitled, 'An act providing for the publication of the acts and journals of the Legislature,' passed July 7, 1826," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill, entitled, "An act to repeal the several acts relating to fishing."

On motion by Mr. Emerson—

That said bill be postponed to the next session of the General Court;

It was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain lands to Daniel Pinkham, was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act in addition to an act, entitled, 'An act to incorporate the New-Hampshire and Vermon Bridge Company,' passed June 19, 1817," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

The bill, entitled, “An act in favour of William M. Richardson, John Porter, and Samuel D. Bell,” was taken up, and considered.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said bill be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

The bill, entitled, “An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, entitled, ‘An act for the support and regulation of primary schools,’ passed July 6, 1827,” was taken up, and considered.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that it be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

The bill, entitled, “An act to repeal the respective laws giving bounties for killing crows, wolves, bears, and wildcats,” was taken up, and considered.

On motion by Mr. Freese—

That said bill be indefinitely postponed;

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

That said bill be postponed to the next session of the General Court;

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Ordered, That said bill be committed to a select committee, with instructions so to amend said bill, as to reduce the bounty for killing wolves to ten dollars.

Ordered, That Messrs. Chadwick, Cartland, and Bixby, be the committee.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, “An act in favour of James Wilcomb,” reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chadwick, from the same committee, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Gardner Towle," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

The resolution, fixing the time when the Legislature may adjourn, was taken up, and considered.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That said resolution be referred to a select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Wentworth, Harper, and Emerson, be the committee.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That said committee have leave to sit during the session of the Senate.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Edward Philbrick;" a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Richard Bartlett;" a bill, entitled, "An act in addition to an act, entitled, 'An act for the regulation and government of schools in the town of Portsmouth,' passed July 7, 1826;" a resolution, in favour of Rev. Enos George; and a resolution, permitting the New-Hampshire Historical Society to hold their meetings in the Committee-Room numbered twelve: in which bills and resolutions they request the concurrence of the Senate. They concur with the Senate, in the passage of a bill, entitled, "An act to provide for the collection of taxes assessed upon the unimproved lands of non-residents," with amendments, in which they request the concurrence of the Senate. They agree to the several amendments proposed by the Senate, to the several bills, with the following titles, viz: "An act to encourage the manufacture of leather, and to prevent frauds therein;" "An act to incorporate the Trustees of the South Church Charity Fund;" "An act to raise forty thousand dollars for the use of the State;" "An act for laying out highways." And he withdrew.

The three bills, and the first named resolution, last received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, were severally read a first and second time.

Ordered, That the first and second named bills be referred to the committee on Claims.

Ordered, That the third named bill be referred to the committee on Schools and Seminaries of Learning.

Ordered, That the first named resolution be referred to the committee on Claims.

The second named resolution was read three times by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Cartland— The standing committee on Schools and Seminaries of Learning, which was instructed to inquire into the expediency of repealing the 4th and ninth sections of an act, entitled, "An act for the support and regulation of primary schools," passed July 6, 1827, were discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

The following resolution, which was submitted by Mr. Steele, was read by the Clerk, and passed unanimously.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate be presented to the Hon. Abner Greenleaf, for the dignified and impartial manner in which he has discharged the duties of President of the Senate during the present session.

The President replied as follows:

"Gentlemen—That in my efforts to perform the duties of the chair, I should be so fortunate, as, in any remote degree, to merit your approbation, is a circumstance peculiarly grateful to my feelings, and will cause me ever to reflect on this period of publick service, as one of the most agreeable I ever witnessed. This kind expression of your approbation, Gentlemen, towards an individual who is a mere novice in legislation, is more deeply felt than I am able to express; and I freely acknowledge myself indebted to your superior knowledge and experience, together with the able notarial assistance with which I have been supported, and of which I ought in justice to make honourable mention, for having acquitted myself with any tolerable degree of acceptability. The aid I have received from gentlemen of both political parties, demands my very grateful acknowledgments; and I should deem myself unworthy your esteem or confidence, could I possibly be insensible to the delicacy of manner, with which that has been communicated. We are shortly to part, Gentlemen, very probably never to meet again under similar circumstances. In retiring from the chair, and subsequently from the Senate, I shall carry with me a grateful remembrance of the numerous proofs of civility and friendship which I have received from you, both individually and collectively; and you will be pleased to accept my warmest wishes for your safe return to your homes, a happy interview with your respective families, and that your most agreeable anticipations of the future may be abundantly realized."

The Hon. Abner Greenleaf then communicated to the Senate his resignation of the office of President of the Senate, and left the chair.

Mr. Steele was called to the chair.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The Senate proceeded to the choice of a President, and Hon. Samuel Cartland was elected.

Mr. Cartland addressed the Senate, manifesting his acceptance of the office, and took the chair.

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill, entitled, "An act to provide for the collection of taxes assesed upon the unimproved lands of

non-residents," with the amendments thereto proposed by the House of Representatives.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Ordered, That said bill lie on the table.

Mr. Greenleaf was appointed to fill the vacancies in the several standing committees, occasioned by the election of Mr. Cartland to the office of President.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The bill, entitled, "An act to provide for the collection of taxes assessed upon the unimproved lands of non-residents," was taken up, and considered.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

To amend the first amendment to said bill proposed by the House of Representatives; viz: in the 29th line, in the second section, after the word "Merrimack," insert the words, "at the rate of one dollar per square," by adding thereto, after the word "square," the words "for three insertions;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

To amend the second amendment to said bill proposed by the House of Representatives; viz: in the 34th line, in the second section, after the word "County," insert the words "at the rate of one dollar per square," by adding thereto, after the word "square," the words "for three insertions;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate agree to the first of said amendments, as amended?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate agree to the second of said amendments, as amended?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives, that the Hon. Abner Greenleaf has resigned the office of President of the Senate, and that the Hon. Samuel Cartland has been elected as his successor.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, granting one of Carrigain's Maps, and a copy of the Laws of the State, to the town of Waterville; and one of Carrigain's Maps to Lancaster Academy; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The last named resolution was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourns, it be to nine o'clock to morrow morning.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, JULY 3, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a resolution, granting one of Carrigain's Maps, and a copy of the Laws of the State, to the town of Waterville, and one of Carrigain's Maps to Lancaster Academy, reported the same without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said resolution be now read the third time.

Whereupon said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Wentworth, from the select committee, to whom was referred the resolution, fixing the time when the Legislature may adjourn, reported the same with an amendment.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the amendment reported by the committee? viz: strike out the words "Friday the third," and insert the words "Saturday the fourth;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

Yea 7—Nays 5.

The yeas and nays being required by Mr. Chamberlain—

Those who voted in the affirmative, are, Messrs. Greenleaf, Freese, Steele, Harper, Chadwick, Emerson, Cartland.

Those who voted in the negative, are, Messrs. Wentworth, Bixby, Chamberlain, Hall, Miller.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing a committee to revise the Laws; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The resolution, last named, was read a first and second time.

On motion by Mr. Greenleaf—

Ordered, That said resolution be referred to a select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Greenleaf, Harper, and Chamberlain, be the committee.

Mr. Chadwick, from the select committee, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "an act to repeal the respective laws giving bounties for killing crows, wolves, bears, and wildcats," reported the same, with amendments, viz: immediately after the enacting clause, insert the following:

"That if any person shall kill any wolf, or wolf's whelp, within this State, and shall bring the head of such wolf or wolf's whelp to

the selectmen of the town or place in which the same was killed; and if there be no selectmen in the town or place where the same was killed, then to the selectmen of the town or place next to the —— where the same was killed; and shall prove, to the satisfaction of the said selectmen, that the wolf or wolf's whelp, the head of which he hath brought to them as aforesaid, was killed by him, or by his means, or any other person whose agent he is; the said selectmen shall cut off the ears from the head so brought to them as aforesaid, and shall otherwise disfigure it, so that it may never be produced for a like purpose again: and the said selectmen shall give the person, so producing the head as aforesaid, a receipt for the same; and the person receiving the same receipt, or producing it to the Treasurer of this State, shall receive, out of the treasury of this State, the sum of ten dollars for any wolf killed as aforesaid, and the sum of ten dollars for every wolf's whelp killed as aforesaid. *Provided, however,* That the said Treasurer shall not pay for any receipt produced as aforesaid, until the next session of the General Court which shall happen after procuring the same, that he may have an opportunity of inquiring into the validity thereof, which he is hereby directed to do.

“SECT. 2. *And be it further enacted.*”

Insert, after the words “An act,” in the title of said bill, the following: “for allowing a certain premium for killing wolves, and.”

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the first of said amendments?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the second of said amendments?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, “An act in favour of Edward Philbrick,” reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said bill be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, “An act in favour of Richard Bartlett,” reported the same, without amendment.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Greenleaf, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that they had examined, and found correctly engrossed, bills with the following titles, viz: "An act authorizing the Superior Court of Judicature to make partition of real estate mortgaged;" "An act making members of Mutual Fire Insurance Companies competent witnesses in certain cases;" "An act to alter the names of certain persons;" "An act to repeal a part of the act regulating fees;" "An act relating to the times and places of holding Courts of Probate in the county of Grafton;" "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, entitled, 'An act providing for the publication of the laws and journals,' passed July 7, 1826;" "An act prescribing the time and mode of redeeming real estate mortgaged, and the mode of foreclosing the right to redeem such estate;" "An act for mending and repairing highways;" "An act to incorporate the South-Church Society Fund in Portsmouth;" "An act to encourage the manufacture of leather, and to prevent frauds therein;" "An act in favour of William M. Richardson, John Porter, and Samuel D. Bell;" and the following resolutions: a resolution, making an appropriation for the education of indigent deaf and dumb children; a resolution, authorizing the Governor to draw on the treasury for five hundred dollars to defray contingent expenses; a resolution, granting a further time to the town of Bethlehem to make return of a survey of lands; a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to sell a portion of the three per cent. stock; and a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain lands to Daniel Pinkham.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed the thirteen bills, and the five resolutions, last reported by the committee to have been engrossed, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of their President. The House of Representatives have agreed to the amendments, proposed by the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House of Representatives, to the bill, entitled, "An act to provide for the collection of taxes assessed upon the unimproved lands of non-residents." They have passed a resolution in favour of Horatio Hill & Co.; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The resolution, last received from the House of Representatives, was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Printers' Accounts.

The President signed the thirteen bills, and the five resolutions, last presented for his signature, and they were delivered to the committee on Engrossed Bills, to be laid before the Governor.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution in favour of Samuel Morril, in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The last named resolution was read a first and second time.
Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Claims.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to whom was referred a resolution in favour of Enos George, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read a third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Hall—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said resolution be now read the third time.

Whereupon said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: “Mr. President—The House of Representatives disagree to the amendment proposed by the Senate, to the resolution fixing the time when the Legislature may adjourn.” And he withdrew.

Mr. Greenleaf, from the select committee, to whom was referred a resolution appointing a committee to revise the laws, reported the same, with amendments.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the first of said amendments? viz: after the word “convened,” in the second line, strike out all as far as the words “to collect,” in the 5th line, and insert, “That the Governor, with the advice of Council, be authorized to appoint some suitable persons, not exceeding three, with authority”—

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the second of said amendments? viz: after the word “volume,” in the 8th line, insert the words “on paper and type corresponding to the edition of the laws published in 1815;”

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this resolution, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that it be now read the third time.

Whereupon, the resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Greenleaf, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that they had examined, and found duly engrossed, a bill, entitled, “An act directing the proceedings against trustees of debtors;” and a bill, entitled, “An act for laying out highways.”

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their

Assistant Clerk:—"Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed the two bills last reported by the committee on Engrossed Bills, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of their President." And he withdrew.

The President signed the two bills last presented for his signature, and they were delivered to the committee to be laid before the Governor.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Claims, to whom was referred the resolution in favour of Samuel Morrill, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Steele—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said resolution be now read the third time.

Whereupon said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Gardner Towle," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act in favour of James Wilcomb," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Greenleaf—

The select committee, to whom was referred a resolution authorizing the Governor and Council to appoint some suitable person to prepare for publication the laws, and to contract for the printing of the same, was discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Freese, from the committee on Printers' Accounts, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Jacob B. Moore, and Horatio Hill and Company," reported the same without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Freese—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said bill be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Freese, from the same committee, to whom was referred a resolution in favour of Horatio Hill and Company, reported the same, without amendment

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Freese—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said resolution be now read the third time.

Whereupon said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The bill, entitled, "An act to repeal the respective laws giving bounties for killing crows, wolves, bears, and wildcats," was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Greenleaf, from the committee on Schools and Seminaries of Learning, to whom was referred the bill, entitled, "An act in addition to an act, entitled, 'An act for the regulation and government of schools in the town of Portsmouth,' passed July 7th, 1826," reported the same, with an amendment.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt said amendment? viz: after the words "town officers," in the last line of the second section, add the words "in March next;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, Shall this bill, as amended, be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Hall—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said bill be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass, with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

The bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Richard Bartlett," was taken up, and considered.

On the question, Shall this bill be read a third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that it be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives agree to the amendments proposed by the Senate, to the resolution appointing a committee to arrange and publish the laws of the State. They have also passed a resolution, authorizing the Governor to draw on the treasury for three thousand dollars, to defray the expenses of the State-Prison; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The resolution, last received from the House of Representatives, was read a first and second time.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Ordered, That said resolution be referred to a select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Emerson, Harper, and Steele, be the committee.

Mr. Greenleaf, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that the fifteen bills, and five resolutions, last signed by the President of the Senate, had been laid before the Governor.

Mr. Greenleaf, from the same committee, reported, that they had examined, and found correctly engrossed, a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to borrow twelve thousand dollars; a resolution, granting leave to the New-Hampshire Historical Society to occupy committee-Room No. 12; and a resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain lands to Jacob Sargeant, jr. and others.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of John Whipple;" and a bill, entitled, "An act to change the name of the town of Adams;" in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The first named bill was read three several times, by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The second named bill was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives having required the three resolutions last reported to have been engrossed, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of their President." And he withdrew.

The President signed the three resolutions last presented for his signature, and they were delivered to the committee on Engrossed Bills, to be laid before the Governor.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

The resolution, fixing upon the time when the Legislature may adjourn, was taken up, and considered.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Senate do *insist* on their amendment to said resolution.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

On motion by Mr. Chadwick—

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourns, it be to five o'clock tomorrow morning.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: “Mr. President—The the House of Representatives agree to the amendments proposed by the Senate, to the bill, entitled, “An act to repeal the respective laws giving bounties for killing crows, wolves, bears, and wildcats,” with an amendment; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate.” And he withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

That said bill be indefinitely postponed;

It was determined in the negative.

Yea 5—Nays 7.

The yeas and nays being required by Mr. Chamberlain—

Those who voted in the affirmative, are, Messrs. Greenleaf, Freese, Harper, Wentworth Emerson.

Those who voted in the negative, are, Messrs. Steele, Chadwick, Bixby, Chamberlain, Hall, Miller, Cartland.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Emerson, from the select committee, to whom was referred a resolution, appropriating three thousand dollars to the use of the State-Prison, reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said resolution be now read the third time.

Whereupon said resolution was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Chadwick, from the managers on the part of the Senate, at a conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses, on the amendment proposed by the House of Representatives to the resolution granting a tract of land to James Key, reported, that the conferees on behalf of the two Houses, have agreed to recommend to their said Houses respectively, the following resolution :

Resolved, That the further consideration of the resolution, authorizing the Treasurer to convey certain lands to James Key, with the amendment proposed thereto by the House of Representatives, be postponed to the next session of the Legislature; and that the said James Key and William Triggs, jr. be heard before a joint committee of the two Houses, on the Eighth day of said session.

On motion—

The Senate concurred in the resolution recommended by the committee of conference.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives agree to the amendment proposed by the Senate, to the bill, entitled, 'An act in addition to an act, entitled, 'An act for the regulation and government of schools in the town of Portsmouth,' passed July 7, 1826.' And he withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Chamberlain—

The bill, entitled, "An act to repeal the respective laws giving bounties for killing crows, wolves, bears, and wildcats," was taken up, and considered.

On the question, Will the Senate agree to the amendment proposed by the House of Representatives, to the amendment proposed by the Senate to said bill? viz. after the word "the," in the 9th line of the amendment proposed by the Senate, insert the words "town or place;"

It was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Wentworth, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a bill, entitled, "An act to change the name of the town of Adams," reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, Shall this bill be read the third time?

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Rules of the Senate be so far dispensed with, that said bill be now read the third time.

Whereupon said bill was read the third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, that when they adjourn this afternoon, they adjourn to meet at five o'clock to-morrow morning." And he withdrew.

Mr. Greenleaf from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that the three resolutions last signed by the President of the Senate, had been laid before the Governor.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: Mr. President—The House of Representatives recede from their disagreement to the amendment proposed by the Senate, to the resolution fixing the time when the Legislature may adjourn." And he withdrew.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove,

their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of David George and others;" a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Philip Carrigain;" and a resolution, directing the Secretary of State to make a disposition of the United States Journals and State papers: in which bills and resolution they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The first named bill was read three times, by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The second named bill was read three times, by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

The resolution last received from the House of Representatives for concurrence, was read.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution in favour of Horatio Hill & Co., in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The last named resolution was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Printers' Accounts.

Mr. Chadwick submitted the following resolution:

Resolved, by the Senate, and House of Representatives, in General Court convened, That His Excellency the Governor, by and with advice of Council, be, and he is hereby, authorized and empowered to appoint some suitable person to paint the exterior wood-work of the State-House; and he is hereby authorized to draw upon the Treasurer of this State, for the sum of three hundred dollars, to defray the expense thereof.

Said resolution was read three times, by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

Mr. Greenleaf, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that they had examined, and found correctly engrossed, bills with the following titles: "An act to raise forty thousand dollars for the use of the State;" "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, entitled, "An act for the support and regulation of primary schools;" "An act in favour of Edward Philbrick;" "An act in favour of Jacob B. Moore, and Horatio Hill & Co.;" "An act in favour of John Whipple;" "An act in favour of Richard Bartlett;"

"An act to change the name of the town of Adams;" "An act to provide for the collection of taxes assessed upon the unimproved lands of non-residents;" and the following resolutions: a resolution granting a map to the town of Waterville; a resolution in favour of Enos George; a resolution in favour of Samuel Morril; a resolution making an appropriation for the use of the State-Prison; a resolution authorizing the Governor and Council to appoint a person to arrange and publish the laws of the State; and a resolution in favour of Horatio Hill & Co.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed the eight bills, and the six resolutions, last reported to have been engrossed, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of their President." And he withdrew.

The President signed the eight bills, and the six resolutions, last presented for his signature, and they were delivered to the committee on Engrossed Bills, to be laid before the Governor.

Mr. Freese, from the committee on Printers' Accounts, to whom was referred the resolution in favour of Horatio Hill & Co., reported the same, without amendment.

On the question, shall this resolution be read the third time?

It was determined in the negative.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives do not concur with the Senate, in the passage of the resolution appropriating three hundred dollars to paint the wood-work of the State-House." And he withdrew.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill, entitled, "An act in favour of Edward Philbrick and others," in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

The last named bill was read three several times, by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives accordingly.

Mr. Greenleaf, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that the eight bills, and the six resolutions, last signed by the President of the Senate, had been laid before the Governor.

Mr. Greenleaf, from the same committee, reported, that they had examined, and found correctly engrossed, bills with the following titles: "An act authorizing School District Number 10, in the town of Concord, to hold additional land;" "An act subjecting lands, tenements, and hereditaments, to the payment of debts, and directing the mode of extending and levying executions upon real and per-

sonal estate;" "An act in addition to an act, entitled, 'An act to incorporate the Vermont Bridge Company,' passed June 19, 1817;" "An act in favour of Gardner Towle;" "An act in favour of James Wilcomb;" "An act in addition to an act, entitled, 'An act for the regulation and government of schools in the town of Portsmouth."

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed the six bills last reported to have been engrossed, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of their President." And he withdrew.

The President signed the six bills last presented for his signature, and they were delivered to the committee on Engrossed Bills, to be laid before the Governor.

On motion by Mr. Wentworth—
~~On motion by Mr. Wentworth—~~ The Senate adjourned.

SATURDAY, JULY 4, 1829.

Met according to adjournment.

Mr. Chadwick, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that they had examined, and found correctly engrossed, bills with the following titles, viz: "An act in favour of Edward Philbrick and others;" "An act for allowing a certain premium for killing wolves, and to repeal the respective laws giving bounties for killing crows, wolves, bears and wildcats;" "An act in favour of David George and others;" "An act in favour of Philip Carrigain;" and a resolution, directing the Secretary to distribute the laws of the United States, and the State papers.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives having signed the four bills, and the resolution, last reported to have been engrossed, I am directed to bring them to the Senate for the signature of their President." And he withdrew.

The President of the Senate signed the four bills, and the resolution, last presented for his signature, and they were delivered to the committee on Engrossed Bills, to be laid before the Governor.

Mr. Greenleaf, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported, that the ten bills, and the resolution, last signed by the President of the Senate, had been laid before the Governor.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Gove, their Assistant Clerk: "Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing Messrs. Barnes, Betton, H. Chase, A. Colby, A. Taylor, Cross, Farley, J. Quimby, Mack, and Tebbets, with such as the Senate may join, a committee to wait on His Excellency the Governor, and inform him that the business of the present session being finished, the Legislature is ready to adjourn; in which they request the concurrence of the Senate." And he withdrew.

On motion by Mr. Harper—

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the appointment of a joint committee, agreeably to the last named resolution.

Ordered, That Messrs. Emerson and Bixby be the committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Emerson, from the joint committee appointed to wait on His Excellency the Governor, and inform him that the Legislature is ready to adjourn, reported, that they had performed the duty assigned to them.

A message from His Excellency the Governor, by Mr. Palmer, the Secretary:

"Mr. President—I am directed by His Excellency the Governor to inform the Honourable Senate, that he has approved and signed all the bills and resolutions which have been presented for his approbation, during the present session; and that, agreeably to the request of the Legislature, as expressed to him by their committee, and pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution, he now adjourns the General Court to the last Wednesday in May next, then to meet at the Capitol in Concord."

The President then declared the Senate adjourned to the last Wednesday in May next.

A true copy—

Attest—

S. DINSMOOR, JR. Clerk.

APPENDIX.

Titles of Acts passed June Session, 1829.

An act in favour of Samuel Morril.

An act in favour of Peter Chadwick and W. H. Y. Hackett.

An act defining the duties of County Solicitors.

An act in favour of Ephraim H. Mahurin and Thomas Bellows.

An act in favour of John Kelly and Benjamin B. French.

An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the North-Haverhill Social Library.

An act to incorporate the Proprietors of Centre-Harbour Social Library.

An act to incorporate the East-Boscawen Social Library Society.

An act to establish times and places for holding Courts of Probate in the county of Hillsborough.

An act to incorporate Wendell Social Library.

An act to incorporate John L. Corliss and his associates, by the name of the South-Haverhill Social Library.

An act to incorporate the Londonderry Union Library.

An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the First Methodist Meeting-House in Marlow.

An act to incorporate the Jaffrey Fire Engine Company.

An act to incorporate the First Union Congregational Singing Society in Chichester.

An act to incorporate the Wilton Manufacturing Company.

An act to incorporate the Wear Union Library.

An act prescribing the duty and regulating the office of Sheriff.

An act providing for the compensation of the officers of the civil list.

An act defining the duties of town clerks in certain cases.

An act to incorporate Meridian Sun Chapter.

An act in favour of William Badger and others.

An act to incorporate the New-Hampshire Salt Manufacturing Company.

An act in favour of Robert E. Pecker.

An act declaring the mode of conveyance by deed.

An act in addition to an act, entitled, "an act defining the jurisdiction, powers and duties of a Judge of Probate, and the duties, exemptions and liabilities of executors, administrators, and guardians, in certain cases."

An act in addition to and in amendment of an act entitled "an act regulating licensed houses."

An act to incorporate the town of Waterville.

An act to incorporate a town by the name of Berlin.

An act making appropriations for the militia of this State.

An act incorporating certain persons by the name of the Francestown Engine-Company.

An act further to exempt the New-Hampshire Iron Factory Company from taxes, except in certain cases, for the term of five years from and after the eighteenth day of June 1830.

An act to incorporate the Handel and Haydn Music Society in Bradford.

An act to incorporate the Cheshire County Library.

An act to prevent frauds and perjuries.

An act relating to the powers of Public Notaries, and the preservation of their records.

An act regulating the assignment of dower.

An act to incorporate Belknap Chapter No. 8.

An act to incorporate certain persons by the name of the Literary Adelphi of the Academical and Theological Institution at New-Hampton.

An act to incorporate Libanus Lodge No. 49, in Somersworth.

An act to incorporate the Concord Aqueduct Association.

An act in favour of Eleazar Taft.

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the First Congregational Church Fund in Keene.

An act to incorporate the Seabrook Social Library.

An act regulating the office of Coroner.

An act in addition to, and in amendment of an act, entitled, "an act providing for the publication of the acts and journals of the Legislature."

An act directing the proceedings against trustees of debtors.

An act for mending and repairing highways.

An act prescribing the time and mode of redeeming real estate mortgaged, and the mode of foreclosing the right to redeem such estate.

An act authorizing the Superior Court of Judicature to make partition of real estate.

An act providing for the regulation and government of the State-Prison.

An act for laying out highways.

An act to alter the names of certain persons.

An act to encourage the manufacture of leather, and to prevent frauds therein.

An act relating to the times and places of holding Courts of Probate in the county of Grafton.

An act making members of Mutual Fire Insurance Companies competent witnesses in certain cases.

An act to repeal a part of the act regulating fees.

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the South Church Charity Fund in Portsmouth.

An act in favour of William M. Richardson, John Porter, and Samuel D. Bell.

An act to change the name of the town of Adams.

An act to raise forty thousand dollars for the use of the State.

An act subjecting lands, tenements, and hereditaments, to the payment of debts, and directing the mode of extending and levying executions upon real and personal estate.

An act for allowing a certain premium for killing wolves, and to repeal the respective laws giving bounties for killing crows, wolves, bears, and wild cats.

An act in addition to an act, entitled, "an act for the regulation and government of schools in the town of Portsmouth."

An act to provide for the collection of taxes assessed upon the unimproved lands of non-residents.

An act in favour of Edward Philbrick.

An act in favour of Jacob B. Moore, and Horatio Hill & Co.

An act in favour of John Whipple.

An act in favour of Richard Bartlett.

An act in favour of Edward Philbrick and others.

An act in favour of Philip Carrigain.

An act in favour of David George and others.

An act in addition to an act, entitled, "an act to incorporate the New-Hampshire and Vermont Bridge Company." 111

An act in favour of Gardner Towle.

An act in favour of James Wilcomb.

An act authorizing School District Number 10, in the town of Concord, to hold additional land.

An act in addition to and in amendment of an act, entitled, "an act for the support and regulation of primary schools."

Resolutions of a public nature.

Resolution authorizing William Pickering, Treasurer of the State, to receive of Samuel Morrill, late Treasurer, all moneys, papers, &c. belonging to the State.

Resolution authorizing the Treasurer of this State to borrow twenty-five thousand dollars for the use of the State.

Resolution directing Robert Lefavour, late Commissary-General, to deliver to Joseph Hill, Commissary General, all the artillery, small arms, &c. in his possession, belonging to the State.

Resolution authorizing the Treasurer to pay to the Representatives of towns their proportion of the Literary Fund.

Resolution authorizing the selectmen of the town of Adams to deposit in the office of the Secretary of State a survey and plan of a tract of land granted to said town in 1806.

Resolution requesting the Governor and Council to appoint a person to collect practical information respecting the culture of silk.

Resolution classing Milan, Piercy, Dummer and Winslow's Location, for the choice of a Representative.

Resolution annexing and classing Stratford and Northumberland for the purpose of electing a Representative.

Resolution requesting the Governor to issue his proclamation respecting the boundary line between this State and the State of Maine.

Resolution appropriating four hundred dollars to erect a wall, enclosing the arsenal at Portsmouth, and appointing Ezra Young, Esq. to build the same.

Resolution authorizing the Treasurer of this State to borrow twelve thousand dollars on the credit and for the use of the State.

Resolution permitting the N. H. Historical Society, to hold their meetings in committee room No. 12, in the State-House.

Resolution appropriating twelve hundred dollars for the purpose of educating deaf and dumb children, belonging to this State, at the American Asylum, at Hartford, Connecticut.

Resolution authorizing and directing the Treasurer of the State to sell twenty five-thousand dollars worth of the United States three per cent. stock belonging to this State.

Resolution allowing Bethlehem a further time to make a return of a survey of land.

Resolution authorizing the Governor, with advice of the Council, to appoint some suitable person or persons, not exceeding three, to superintend the publication of a revised edition of the Laws of this State.

Resolution requesting the Secretary of State to deposit certain documents and State papers in the Library, and to distribute the acts of the second session of the 20th Congress among the several incorporated towns in this State.

Resolution appropriating three thousand dollars for the use of the State-Prison.

Treasurer's Account.

Mr. French, of Dunstable, from the committee appointed to audit the accounts of the Treasurer of this State, made the following

REPORT:

That the Treasurer has exhibited to them, and they have carefully examined, the following accounts, from June 13, 1828, to June 1, 1829, inclusive.

1. An account of notes, viz :

One signed by Moses Foss, jr. and others, dated Oct. 9, 1818, on which there is due a balance of principal, \$262,80

One signed by S. P. Webster, dated July 3, 1823, on which is due of principal, 74,25 \$337,05

Discharged by balance due on said notes 337,05

2. An account of stock in the United States funds, and stock in the New-Hampshire Bank, amounting to 122,988,45

Discharged, by general cash account for interest received on the United States' stock, from June 1, 1828, to June 1, 1829, 2,854,00

Amount of United States stock unredeemed, 95,134,45

Amount of New-Hampshire Bank Stock, 25,000,00 122,988,45

3. A general cash account, embracing the following items of credit: Balance of cash in the treasury, as found by a committee on settlement of late Treasurer's account, 3,205,10

By taxes outstanding 1,502,45

Cash borrowed of the New-Hampshire Literary Fund, 9,058,19

Cash borrowed of the M. C. Bank, pursuant to resolve, 5,000,00

Cash borrowed of the M. C. Bank, of the Claremont Bank, 4,000,00

Do. " of M. C. Bank, 5,000,00

Cash received of J. W. Weeks, it being the amount of error in his favour, in travel-roll of the Senate, Nov. session, 2,00

Cash received for interest on the United States 3 per cent. stock belonging to the State, from June 1, 1828, to June 1, 1829, 2,854,00

Cash received, it being the amount of an error in the attendance-roll of the House of Representatives, in favour of Jacob Patch, Nov. session, 1828, 90,00

Cash received of the Selectmen of Lyman, for fine of a military exempt, 2,00

Amount of State tax for the year 1828, 39,997,20

Cash received of Secretary of State for fees received at his office, from June 1828, to June 1829, 5,53,00 81,263,94

Which sum is accounted for as follows : Paid sundry orders drawn by the Executive, viz:—

For the Governor's salary,	\$1,200,00
For contingent expenses for the Governor,	100,00
For pay-roll of Council, June session, 1828,	202,10
Do. " August, "	105,60
Do. " November, "	473,60
Do. " February, 1829,	95,60
Do. " May, "	108,10
For pay-roll of Senate, June session, 1828,	985,00
Do. " November "	602,40
For pay-roll of House of Representatives, June session, 1828,	1,398,60
Do. November session, 1828,	2,001,00
For orders in favour of Representatives whose names were not on the rolls,	9,039,80
For orders drawn in favour of the Clerks of both branches of the Legislature,	22,172,50
For orders drawn in favour of the several Door-keepers,	190,00
	31,402,30
	765,90
	301,45
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For salary of Treasurer,	\$37,355,65
Do. of Secretary,	600,00
Do. of Warden of State-Prison,	800,00
Do. of Adjutant-General,	800,00
Do. of Registers of Probate,	400,00
For orders in favour of the Justices of the Superior Court,	3,800,00
For order in favour of Attorney-General,	550,00
Do. of various Solicitors,	250,00
For orders in favour of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, for salaries,	4,600,00
For orders for salaries of Judges of Probate,	3,200,00
Do. of Registers of Probate,	2,033,44
For Commissioners and their assistants, for designating the dividing line between Maine & this State,	2,385,25
For Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States,	4,418,69
For orders drawn in favour of deaf & dumb persons,	1,086,68
For all other orders drawn by the Executive,	147,00
Paid wolf, bear, and wildcat bounty,	660,00
To amount of tax against the town of Shelburne, rec'd and accounted for by the late Treasurer,	250,00
Cash paid for principal & interest of money borrow'd,	48,40
Taxes outstanding, June 1, 1829,	18,619,16
Cash in the treasury, June 1, 1829,	1,452,92
	373,72
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	\$81,263,94

That the accounts are duly vouched and correctly cast, and the vouchers, together with a copy of the Treasurer's account, are herewith exhibited.

SAMUEL CARTLAND,
BENJA. F. FRENCH,
ISAAC O. BARNES,
FRANKLIN PIERCE.

The committee appointed to settle the additional account between this State and the late Treasurer thereof, from the first day of June, 1829, to the present time,

REPORT :

That said Treasurer has exhibited to them, and they have examined the following account, from the first to the tenth day of June, 1829, and find him chargeable as follows, viz :

To cash in the Treasury, as per settlement with the committee,	\$373,72
To cash received of John Bell, late Governor, balance of his account for contingent expenses,	45,29
To taxes outstanding, June 1, 1829,	1,452,92
To cash received of selectmen of Landaff for fine of a military exempt,	2,00
To stock in the New-Hampshire Bank,	25,000,00
To 3 per cent. stock in the United States' Funds,	95,134,45
To note signed by Moses Foss and others, due for principal,	262,80
To note signed by Stephen P. Webster, principal due,	74,25
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	\$122,345,43

Which sum is accounted for as follows, viz :

By order paid Kent & M'Farland for publishing laws,	\$109,50
By order paid Moses Foss, jr.	2,00
By cash paid for bounties on wolves,	100,00
Do. " on wildcats,	30,00
Do. " on bears,	9,00
Do. " on crows,	90,00
By order paid to the selectmen of Canaan,	2,00
Do. paid Gawen Gilmore,	3,72
Do. paid travel and attendance-roll of Councillors, from June 2 to June 8, 1829,	78,00
By taxes outstanding,	1,336,27
By stock in New-Hampshire Bank,	25,000,00
By 3 per cent. stock in United States' funds,	95,134,45
By note signed by Moses Foss, jr. and others, due for principal,	262,80
By note signed by S. P. Webster, principal due,	74,25
By cash to balance,	113,44
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	\$122,345,43

That the accounts are duly vouched and correctly cast, and the vouchers, together with a copy of the Treasurer's account, are herewith exhibited.

They also find, that all moneys and papers in his keeping, belonging to the State, have been delivered to William Pickering, Esq. the present Treasurer, who has received for the same, agreeably to a resolve passed at the present session of the Legislature; and duplicate receipts of the present Treasurer are herewith exhibited.

SAMUEL CARTLAND,
BENJAMIN F. FRENCH,
ISAAC O. BARNES,
FRANKLIN PIERCE.

Executive Department, Concord, June 16, 1829. I

To the Senate and House of Representatives.

Gentlemen—I herewith communicate the Treasurer's estimates of the probable receipts and disbursements at the treasury, from June 1 to December 1, 1829, and from December 1, 1829, to June 1, 1830.

BENJAMIN PIERCE.

Treasurer's estimates, accompanying His Excellency's communication.

1. An estimate of the probable receipts and disbursements at the treasury, from June 1 to December 1, 1829.

RECEIPTS.

For interest on 3 per cent. stock in the U. States Funds,	\$1,427,00
To which, add the balance of cash received from the late	
Treasurer, June 11, 1829,	113,44

Making together,

\$1,540,44

DISBURSEMENTS.

For Salaries of Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Adjutant-General, Judges of Superior Court and Court of Common Pleas, Judges and Registers of Probate, Attorney-General, and Warden of State-Prison,	\$8,300,00
Salary of Commissary-General, and appropriations for his department,	400,00

Attendance and travel-rolls of Hon. Council, Senate and House of Representatives, the present session, including compensation to Chaplain, Clerks, and Door-keepers,	18,285,00
Incidental expenses of the session, including Printers' accounts for publishing the laws and journals, and pay of Clerks for copying journals,	3,943,00

Appropriation of June 19, 1829, for use of State Prison,	3000,00
Expenses of Court Martial,	400,00

Appropriation for Adjutant and Quarter-Master Generals' Department,	100,00
For education of deaf and dumb children,	1,200,00

Bounties on crows,	400,00
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Bounties on wolves and wildcats,	250,00
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Contingencies, say	1,500,00
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38,678,00

Deduct receipts,	1,540,44
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Leaving to be provided for by loan,	\$37,137,56
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2. An estimate of the probable receipts and disbursements at the treasury, from Dec. 1, 1829, to June 1, 1830.	
RECEIPTS.	

State tax for the year 1829,	\$40,000,00
Interest on 3 per cent. stock in United States' funds,	1,427,00

\$41,427,00

Estimated amount of debts against the State, on the first day of June, 1830,	19,113,56
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\$60,540,56

DISBURSEMENTS.

Salaries of the officers of government,	5,800,00
Attendance and travel-roll of Hon. Council, May session, 1830,	108,00

For money to be borrowed, including interest on the same,	38,432,56
For interest on money borrowed by late Treasurer,	1,200,00
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Amount due sundry Banks, June 1, 1829.	\$45,540,56
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	15,000,00
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	\$60,540,56

Respectfully submitted,

WM. PICKERING, Treasurer.

State of New-Hampshire, Treasury Office, June 12, 1829.

Literary Fund.

Executive Department, Concord, June 10, 1829.

To the Senate and House of Representatives.

Gentlemen—In compliance with an act of June 29, 1821, I herewith transmit to you the commissioners statement of the amount, condition, and circumstances, of the Literary Fund. BENJAMIN PIERCE.

STATEMENT.

In obedience to the directions of the act, entitled, "An act to establish a Literary Fund to be collected from the several banking corporations within this State, passed June 29, 1821," the Commissioners therein named respectfully submit to the Honorable Legislature the following statement of the amount, condition, and circumstances, of said Fund.

The State of New-Hampshire, in Account with the Commissioners of the Literary Fund, Dr.

1829.

June 10. To cash distributed and paid over to the several towns in the State, by the Treasurer of the Literary Fund, pursuant to an act of the Legislature, passed December 31, 1828,

\$54,388,35

Cash on hand, it being the proportions of the towns of Cambridge, Dummer, Stratford, Erving's, Wentworth's, and Winslow's Locations, and Green's Grant, not distributed,

111,65

Cash on hand,

241,16

Cash in the hands of the Treasurer, received for tax on the capital stock of the several banks in this State, for the year 1829,

8,881,04

\$64,122,20

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1828.

June 13. By cash received from the several Banking Corporations within this State, for 1828, \$9,058,19

Interest on the same 6 mo.; from June 13 to December 13, 1828, at 4 5-8 per cent. 209,47 \$9,267,66

Dec. 30. Cash received on note against the Portsmouth Bank, principal, 14,860,45

Interest to Dec. 29, 11 mo. 15 days, at 4 5-8 per cent. 658,66 15,519,11

Cash received on note against the Rockingham Bank, principal, 5,000,00

Interest to Dec. 29, 12 mo. less 6 days, at 4 5-8 per cent. 227,39 5,227,39

1829.

June 3. Cash received on note against the Merrimack County Bank, principal, 19,641,52

Interest to Jan. 3, 11 mo. 22 days, at 4 5-8 per cent.	852,91	20,494,43
Cash received on deposit in M. C. Bank,	66,77	
Interest to Jan. 3, 7 mo. 5 days, at 4 1-2 per cent.	1,80	68,57
Interest for 9 mo. on \$4400, United State's 6 per cent. stock,		198,00
June 17. Cash received on the sale of the United States 6 per cent. stock,	4,400,00	
Cash received for premium of 1 1-2 per cent. advance on the stock,	66,00	4,466,00
June 10. By cash received for tax of one half of one per cent. on the capital stock of the several Banking Corporations within this State, for the year 1829, as follows :		
Claremont Bank,	300,00	
Cheshire Bank,	500,00	
Concord Bank,	500,00	
Commercial Bank,	500,00	
Connecticut River Bank,	300,00	
Dover Bank,	640,35	
Exeter Bank,	500,00	
Farmers' Bank,	325,00	
Merrimack County Bank,	500,00	
New-Hampshire Bank,	565,19	
New-Hampshire Union Bank,	750,00	
Pemigewasset Bank,	250,00	
Piscataqua Bank,	750,50	
Portsmouth Bank,	500,00	
Rockingham Bank,	500,00	
Strafford Bank,	500,00	
Winnipiseogee Bank,	500,00	
Grafton Bank,	500,00	8,881,04

\$64,122,20

BENJAMIN PIERCE, } Commissioners
WM. PICKERING, } of the
D. S. PALMER, } Literary Fund.

June 10, 1829.

Adjutant General's Report.

Executive Department, Concord, June 16, 1829.

To the Senate and House of Representatives :

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith an abstract of the returns of the militia of this State for the present year ; an account of the arms, equipments and public property, in the possession of the several regiments.

BENJAMIN PIERCE.

Report of the Adjutant General, accompanying His Excellency's communication.

State of New-Hampshire, Adjutant General's Office.

Concord, June 12, 1829.

His Excellency BENJAMIN PIERCE,

SIR,—In compliance with the second section of the militia law, "relating to the powers and duties of certain officers of the militia," approved January 2, 1829, I submit herewith an abstract of the returns of the militia for the current year, by which it will be seen, that there are borne upon the rolls of infantry, light infantry, and grenadiers, 24843 ; cavalry,

1601 ; artillery, 1592 ; riflemen, 864 ; amounting in the whole, to twenty-eight thousand nine hundred men ; making an increase from the last year's return of four hundred and eighty-five.

The several Quarter-Master's returns of public property, in possession of the troops, will soon be consolidated, and presented for your Excellency's examination.

In executing recently an order of the late Governor, it became my duty to visit the arsenal at Portsmouth, and from an examination of the same, I am enabled to state, that the public property of New-Hampshire deposited there, is in a good state of preservation. It appears that the State own at this time 4924 stand of arms, and that the State's quota for the last two years are now due from the United States Government. Many of the arms in the arsenal have been on hand for many years ; but these all will, as those received at a more recent date, appear as perfect in every respect, as when they came from the hands of the smith who manufactured them.

The building, excepting the roof, which requires some slight repairs, appears in good condition, and suitable for the purpose for which it is appropriated. But the fence which encloses the yard is in ruins, and the interest of the State requires, that a substantial and permanent one should be immediately erected.

The expenditures on account of the militia the last year, the vouchers for which will soon be laid before the Honourable Legislature, have been kept within the appropriations ; and the general condition of the several regiments remain essentially the same as at the date of my last annual report. Your Excellency's Obedient Servant,

JOSEPH LOW, Adjutant General.

State Prison.

To the Honourable General Court, at their June session, 1829.

Pursuant to the act providing for the regulation and government of the State Prison, the undersigned Warden respectfully submits the following statement of the receipts and profits, disbursements and expenses, and the general affairs of the institution, for the year ending May 31, 1829.

1. DISBURSEMENTS.

	Stock on hand May 31, 1828.	Since purchased.	Whole amount.
In stone Shop,	\$5,000,48	4,325,01	9,325,49
Smith's shop,	1,396,31	1,771,83	3,168,14
Cooper's shop,	180,93	148,87	329,80
Shoe, tailor's, and weaver's,	83,07	195,44	278,51
Clothing and bedding,	256,34	376,65	632,99
Provisions,	540,41	649,23	1,189,64
Furniture and fuel,	144,25		144,25
Expenses for pay & subsistence of overseers, watchmen, & incidentals,			1,894,98
Expenses for repairs,			322,59
Expenses for hospital,			62,33
 Total of disbursements,			\$17,348,72

2. RECEIPTS.

	Sales of work since May 31, 1828.	On hand May 31, 1829.	Whole amount.
In stone shop,	\$4,605,06	8,461,28	13,066,34
Smith's shop,	2,450,81	1,527,65	3,978,46
Cooper's shop,	168,04	293,03	461,07
Shoe, taylor's and weaver's,	605,97	78,19	684,16
Provisions,		533,19	533,19
Clothing and bedding,		281,87	281,87
Furniture and fuel,		261,02	261,02
Received from visitors,			181,78
Received for interest,			41,39
 Total receipts,			\$19,489,25
Excess of receipts beyond the disbursements,			\$2,140,53
Amount of property on hand, May 31, 1828,	\$7,601,79		
Balance of debts due,		3,352,65	
Do. cash,		246,50	
			\$16,200,94
Amount of property on hand, May 31, 1829,	11,433,63		
Do. balance of debts due,		6,907,84	
			\$18,341,47
Increased amount from 1828, to 1829,			2,140,53

In estimating the value of the property on hand, it is deemed proper to remark, that the prices which were fixed by the committee appointed by the Executive Board the last year, have been generally adopted as the rule of valuation the present year.

The prices of hammered stone having since that time somewhat diminished, the estimated value may not be realized.

Although from the books of the prison, it appears that its increase has exceeded the expenditure by more than \$2000, in the course of the last year, it also appears that this income consists in an increased amount of manufactured articles on hand; and that the actual sales have fallen considerably short of the expenses necessary to sustain the institution. It should also be known, that the sum of \$3316 of the debts due, reported by the committee last year as doubtful, has in no part been collected, nor is the prospect very encouraging, that any part ever will be paid.

The number of convicts, on the 31st of May, 1828, was 45; at this time, 48. There have been no deaths nor escapes during the last year. And it is due to the gentleman who has officiated as Chaplain of the prison to say, that his efforts for the instruction and reformation of the convicts have been zealous and untiring, and that their morals appear to be improved. The advantages to be derived from solitary confinement during the night, can never be realized under the present construction of the prison.

DANIEL CONNOR.

Concord, June 15, 1829.

Banks.

Executive Department, Concord, June 10, 1829.

To the Senate and House of Representatives.

GENTLEMEN—I herewith transmit to you copies of the returns of the state of the several Banks in this State, made in compliance with an act of June 1, 1824.

BENJAMIN PIERCE.

A statement of the condition of the several Banks in New-Hampshire, as they existed on the 4th day of May, 1829, made in conformity to "An act directing the return of statements, every year, from the several incorporated Banks in this State, to His Excellency the Governor and Council, approved June 21, 1814."

BANKS.	Amount of capital stock.	Value of Real estate.	Amount of Debts due.	Amount of Specie in vaults.	Amount of bills of other Banks.	Amount of bills in circulation.	Amount of deposits.
Connecticut River, \$	60,000	2,444,65	114,598,28	17,726,60	4,366,00	15,727,15	51,197,00
Dover, -	123,070	6,500,00	174,57,18	7,996,79	2,805,39	3,811,13	30,933,00
Strafford, -	100,000	4,500,00	141,374,42	2,201,93	3,031,00	8,734,24	25,166,00
Pemigewasset, -	50,000	3,446,21	72,432,88	3,424,25	7,620,00	1,053,62	29,596,00
Piscataqua, -	150,000	1,500,00	239,330,50	5,749,00	12,166,14	37,650,53	61,358,00
Cheshire, -	100,000	2,054,00	166,587,29	10,032,96	1,559,00	4,902,23	74,452,00
Grafton, -	100,000	933,62	154,071,35	52,393,10	3,974,50	20,650,61	89,518,25
Merrimack County, -	100,000	6,271,65	125,562,40	25,069,12	4,497,00	2,980,82	45,578,00
Exeter, -	100,000	4,000,00	119,026,20	32,829,22	2,071,00	7,542,19	35,016,00
Commercial, -	100,000	—	121,228,70	6,619,54	3,473,23	12,454,92	16,514,00
Concord, -	80,000	2,902,60	112,837,30	9,990,38	3,798,00	4,861,00	41,859,00
N. H. Union, -	150,000	5,833,00	181,763,00	11,057,00	4,642,00	10,137,00	22,748,00
New-Hampshire, -	165,500	16,750,00	191,593,49	7,702,01	3,661,00	14,277,18	58,358,00
Rockingham, -	100,000	1,000,00	125,900,90	3,030,30	3,396,62	14,051,30	12,419,00
Farmers, -	65,000	2,400,00	100,501,60	7,071,78	4,454,00	4,627,54	39,004,00
Winnipiogee, -	83,100	4,610,26	98,592,13	5,442,55	7,794,00	,583,00	15,727,00
Clairemont, -	60,000	1,995,76	89,191,98	11,030,61	5,309,00	5,386,21	35,873,00

1,691,670|67,241,75|2,329,169,60|225,347,1452,829,88|169,430,76|685,246,25

That, after deducting the amount of capital stock, deposits, and bills in circulation, from their means of payment, they find a balance in favour of the following banks, to wit:	15,368,23
Connecticut River Bank, 8,351,38	Exeter Bank, 2,352,55
Dover Bank, 28,570,23	Commercial Bank, 2,898,28
Strafford Bank, 17,207,11	Concord Bank, 20,460,00
Pemigewasset Bank, 5,415,72	N. Hampshire Union Bank, 6,857,52
Piscataqua Bank, 9,737,11	Rockingham Bank, 1,795,84
Cheshire Bank, 879,93	Farmers' Bank, 4,254,71
Grafton Bank, 8,841,35	Winnipiseogee Bank, 10,008,94
Merrimack County Bank, 17,207,11	Claremont Bank, 6,268,14

The New-Hampshire Bank, agreeably to their return of May 4, 1829, represent a balance against said Bank, of \$18,428,68.

The committee are satisfied, from the above statement, that the standing and condition of said Banks are good, and that the publick are safe.

The committee have no means of ascertaining the standing and condition of the Portsmouth Bank, as no return from that Bank has been transmitted by the Governor, since May 5, 1828.

Quarter-Master-General's Report.

Executive Department, Concord, June 18, 1829.

To the Senate and House of Representatives.

GENTLEMEN—I herewith communicate to you the Quarter-Master-General's return of the publick property, which has been furnished at the expense of the State, or purchased with money received for fines; together with articles of publick property for military purposes, in the keeping of the Quarter-Master, for the use of the several regiments; and a requisition for articles wanted for the use of the several regiments in the State.

I transmit to you, likewise, an estimate made by the acting Quarter-Master-General, of the sum of money which he deems necessary to be appropriated, to defray the expenses of his department for the current year.

BENJAMIN PIERCE.

STATE OF NEW-HAMPSHIRE.

Quarter-Master-General's Office, Concord, June 18, 1829.

To His Excellency the Governor.

SIR—In submitting the accompanying return of publick property of the State, in possession of the troops, I am compelled to say, that such has been the want of care on the part of returning officers, that it will give you but a very imperfect view of the real fact in relation to the publick property furnished at the expense of the State, or the amount received and expended for fines.

I have devoted much attention to this subject, and taken great pains to make the blanks and accompanying instructions as clear and plain as possible; but as yet I have not been able to receive, from a great proportion of the Quarter-Masters, returns conformable to the positive instructions annexed to the blanks annually sent from this office. I know of no better way to bring about the necessary reform in relation to these returns, than to reject all that shall not be made strictly conformable to law—and proceed against delinquents accordingly.

The 7th section of the militia law, "relating to the organization and equipment of the militia," allows to each company of artillery twelve dollars annually. Adjutants of regiments are also allowed two dollars for

making returns. These sums, together with twenty-five dollars for the purchase of standards and colours, one hundred dollars for the purchase of instruments of musick, and one hundred dollars for the purchase of the various blanks which are required to be furnished for the use of the officers of the militia, will be all the appropriation which I am aware will be necessary to be made on account of this department.

Artillery companies,	\$ 480,00
Adjutants,	80,00
Standards, &c.	25,00
Instruments,	100,00
Blanks,	100,00

Total— \$ 785,00

I have the honour to be,
your Excellency's obedient servant,

JOSEPH LOW,
Acting Quarter-Master-General.

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